FORECAST — Moderate westerly winds, fair and mild today, cool tonight. Tuesday, moderate southerly winds, partly cloudy, not much change in temperature.

Sunshine yesterday, 4 hours 48 minutes.

Victoria Daily Times

TIDES

Mar.	Time h.m.	Ht. ft.	Time h.m.	Ht. ft.	Time h.m.	Ht. ft.	Time h.m.	Ht. ft.
11	4.04	7.8	10.44	4.5	16.19	6.8	22.13	5.2
12	4.34	7.9	11.26	4.2	17.35	6.6	22.30	5.8
13	4.49	7.9	12.12	3.9	19.30	6.4	23.42	6.2

Sun sets, 6.12; rises Tuesday, 6.33.

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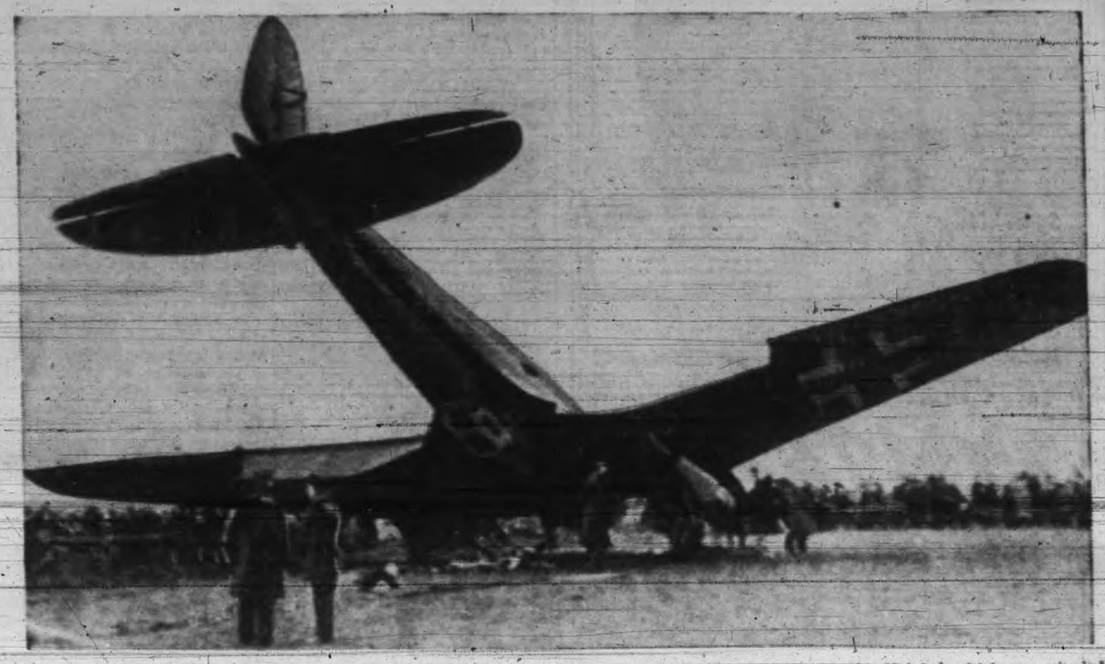
World's Largest

Britain's 85,000-ton superliner Queen Elizabeth (left) berths down at Pier 90 in New York—far from the threat of Nazi bombers, to remain for the duration of the war. Here you see the three largest liners afloat—the Queen Elizabeth, 1,030 feet long; the Queen Mary, 975 feet long, and the Normandie (right), 981 feet. The total tonnage of the three is 249,658. (Telephoto)

Coast Fish Fry

Hundreds of pounds of smelt—freshly caught from an annual run up the Cowlitz River—simmer in a huge frying pan across at Longview, Wash., in a "smelt fry" that Paul Bunyan would have enjoyed.

This German Bomber Failed to Return



One of the German bombers that failed to return to its Nazi base after raids on England and Scotland is this Heinkel, which was crippled by British pursuit craft and crashed nose down near the Firth of Forth. (Passed by British censors.) (Telephoto)

Final Bulletins

NO PEACE YET

LONDON (CP)—The Finnish delegation in Moscow had a long talk with Foreign Commissar Vyacheslaff Molotoff this afternoon, but a peace agreement still is lacking, Reuters News Agency reported tonight in a dispatch from Moscow.

The agency said observers estimated the chances of peace or continued war were about even.

Paris Batteries Fire

PARIS (AP)—Anti-aircraft fire could be heard tonight from Paris suburbs and the beams of searchlights played through the sky.

Hunt for Flag

WINNIPEG (CP) — Scotland Yard is co-operating with Winnipeg military and Royal Canadian Mounted Police in a search for the regimental colors of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, it was learned this afternoon. The colors were removed from All Saints' Church here.

Winnipeg military police headquarters said they had requested the aid of the British police to determine whether the colors were taken to England with the P.P.C.L.I. in the first contingent.

Trial in Tokyo

TOKYO (AP)—After a brief preliminary examination during which Judge Sanehiro Hotta said "this case is liable to impair the peace and order," James Young, United States newspaperman, went on trial today in the Toyko district court on charges of spreading false rumors.

The criminal court's doors were closed to the public, but exceptions were made of Young's wife and a U.S. embassy representative. Three Japanese attorneys defended the International News Service correspondent.

Last Prisoners Freed

MADRID (AP)—The last two American prisoners of war in Spain—Conrad Stoweja and Alf Andreasen—were released today to John N. Hamlin, United States consul in Seville.

Cyclist Loses Life

WEST VANCOUVER (CP)—William Scott, 20, was injured fatally today when the bicycle on which he was riding was involved in a collision with a municipal bus.

He was a son of the late Ed Scott of the Vancouver Daily Province and a brother of Jack Scott, publicity director of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation's station CBR here.

630 Candidates Nominated Today For March 26

OTTAWA (CP)—A long list of straight contests between Liberal and National Government candidates developed today as official nominations for the March 26 Dominion general election closed across the country at 2 p.m. local time.

Election fields were completed in the Maritime Provinces with eight candidates in the running for four seats in Prince Edward Island, 31 contesting Nova Scotia's 12 seats and 22 seeking election to New Brunswick's 10 seats.

Only Liberal and National Government candidates were nominated in Prince Edward Island. The Co-operative Commonwealth Federation had entries in Nova Scotia, naming candidates in Cape Breton, North Victoria, Cape Breton South, Cumberland, Halifax, Pictou and Queens-Luenburg.

Only one C.C.F. candidate entered the lists in New Brunswick.

Early nomination reports from Quebec indicated many straight battles there between representatives of the two big parties.

The indications are that nominees throughout Canada would total approximately 630. There are 245 seats in the Commons.

WELLES TALKS WITH CHAMBERLAIN

LONDON (AP)—In a friendly but skeptical atmosphere Sumner Welles today explored Great Britain's official attitude on war and peace aims in talks with national leaders.

Mr. Welles reiterated that he had brought no proposals of any kind to Europe and, refusing to express views on anything—even the appearance of London—he repeated that his report was for President Roosevelt only.

A private audience with King George at Buckingham Palace was the first item on the itinerary of the second day President Roosevelt's investigator spent in the British capital. Formal talks with Prime Minister Chamberlain and Foreign Secretary Halifax followed.

Discussing the possible results of the conferences, the London press was polite but frank. Their comment was summed up by the Daily Mail

"The visibility was decidedly poor and glimpses even of the immediate future are apt to be misleading."

Another Tax Cut Likely for City

Prospects of a further reduction in the mill rate in Victoria was apparent this afternoon when the draft estimates for 1940 were presented to the City Council by D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller-treasurer. This will make the fourth year in succession that the mill rate has been reduced. The Fortin refunding plan and economies by the City Council have been responsible for the reductions.

Even with the inclusion of an extra $10,000 vote to ensure the new Greater Victoria isolation wing scheme, the net levy—that is the amount to be raised by taxes—stands well below the final figure set for 1939.

Last year Victoria had to raise $1,439,927.06 by taxation. This year the excess of expenditure over revenue, including the extra $10,000 isolation vote not included when the draft was drawn, amounts to $1,437,014.31, a total $2,912.75 below the 1939 net.

The draft estimates this year place uncontrollable expenditures, including debt charges, interest on bank loan and prepaid taxes, School Board estimates and those of the police department at $1,187,811.52.

To that sum is added controllable expenditure estimates of $1:138,398.63, making the total $2,326,210.15. From the aggregate is deducted anticipated revenues of $899,195.84, leaving the net $1,427,014.31, to which the isolation unit costs are added.

With a mill representing approximately $35,000, it appeared certain today the city would lower its rate to 40 mills, forgoing any further reduction to keep the position absolutely stable in view of possible new developments arising from the war.

That point was emphasized by Mayor A. McGavin in a statement of policy. It would be unwise, he said, to reduce the rate below 40 mills in view of possible war eventualities. He favored establishment of a contingency fund from any excess revenue beyond the 1940 requirements.

In addition to caring for regular routine expenditure, the estimates in their draft form make provision for expenditures of approximately $60,000 in new work under the city engineer's department.

Included in the proposed projects are votes of $800 for crib work for shore protection, $200 repairs to the Inner Harbor wall, $8,000 for further 1939-40 government projects, $9,000 for surfacing Wharf Street from Government to Johnson Streets, $21,944 for repaving wood block pavements with asphaltic concrete, $4,644 for paving David Street, between Pleasant and Bridge Streets, $11,268 for paving Bridge Street between Bay and Garbally Road and $3,960 for paving 820 feet of Songhees Road from Johnson Street southwesterly.

The draft estimated expenditures follow:

Debt charges	$637,818.89
Interest on bank loan and prepaid taxes	25,000.00
Board of school trustees	409,400.83
Police department	115,591.80
Municipal council	14,975.00
Legal department	9,855.00
Comptroller-treasurer	21,999.50
Assessor-collector	24,694.00
City clerk	4,910.00
Building inspector	12,411.65
Purchasing agent	3,595.00
Wiring inspector	2,682.00
Land department	6,310.00
Stores	1,395.00
Cemetery	4,635.00
Parks	38,914.00
Boulevards	36,478.00
Pound	2,968.00
Fire department	176,740.16
Street lighting	36,784.75
Library	35,847.15
Market	2,460.00
Home for aged and infirm men	12,390.00
Charities	41,256.52
Hospitals	69,950.00
Board of health	20,015.00
City engineer	22,874.00
Engineering and surveying	150.00
Streets, bridges and sidewalks	119,085.00
Sanitary works	52,481.70
Sewerage	34,000.00
Plant	5,200.00
Elk lake farm and park	600.00
Water works	108,753.54
Welfare and relief office	28,333.66
Miscellaneous	186,655.00

2 Lose Lives in Fire

REVELSTOKE, B.C. (CP)—J. B. Sim, 78, died in a hospital here today, the second victim of a week-end fire which destroyed the home of his son, Allan Sim, at nearby Solsqua.

A daughter-in-law, Mrs. James T. Sim, was burned to death in the blaze, which started after an oil stove explosion. Her husband also was burned but is recovering.

The couple were spending the week-end at Alan Sim's home. James Sim is in charge of a war veterans' detachment patrolling a bridge here.

India Vote Backs Britain

NEW DELHI (CP-Reuters)—The Indian Chamber of Princes at its opening session today unanimously passed a resolution of loyalty to the Crown and the Imperial government in "their heroic struggle to uphold the cause of justice and maintain the sanctity of treaties and covenants."

Fay Wray's Ex-Husband Puts End to Life

FORT MYERS, Fla. (AP)—The body of a man identified by neighbors as John Monk Saunders, Hollywood screen writer, was found hanging in the closet of his winter cottage at Fort Myers beach today.

Coroner Roy Lamberton, who examined the body, said there was no doubt Saunders had committed suicide. He said no inquest was necessary.

Saunders, a native of Hinckley, Minn., was 42, and was educated at the University of Washington and Oxford University.

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — John Monk Saunders, 42, found dead today, was divorced by screen actress Fay Wray at Los Angeles last December 2.

Miss Wray, awarded custody of their 3-year-old daughter, Susan Cary Saunders, testified then that the film writer had told her frequently he found life with her dull and monotonous.

Nixon Quits Hepburn Cabinet In Protest

TORONTO (CP)—Hon. Harry Nixon, Provincial Secretary and right-hand man of Premier Hepburn, resigned today from the Ontario cabinet in protest against the Premier's recent attitude toward the conduct of Canada's war effort.

In a letter to the government leader, Mr. Nixon said he was relinquishing his positions as Provincial Secretary, Registrar-General and Minister of Game and Fisheries. He will continue to represent the Brant constituency in the Legislature as a Liberal-Progressive.

In a statement given to the press along with a copy of the letter of resignation, Mr. Nixon listed four actions by the Premier with which he was in disagreement. They were:

1. The motion of censure against the Dominion government's conduct of the war effort passed at the recent session of the Legislature and for which Mr. Nixon voted. He charged Mr. Hepburn was unfair in "forcing" the resolution on his supporters.

2. Subsequent attacks by the Premier on the federal government in its conduct of the war effort.

3. Banning last week of the "March of Time" film "Canada at War."

4. The Premier's charges that a violent disturbance occurred at the Royal Canadian Air Force training school at St. Thomas.

Forty-eight years old and a member of the government since Mr. Hepburn formed his first cabinet in 1934, Mr. Nixon a number of times served as acting premier during Mr. Hepburn's absences from Toronto. In many quarters he was regarded as the likely choice for premier in the event of Mr. Hepburn's retirement.

WILL BE ACCEPTED

ST. THOMAS, Ont. (CP)—Informed by newspapermen of the resignation of Provincial Secretary Harry Nixon, Premier Mitchell Hepburn said today the resignation would be accepted.

"I regret that my colleague didn't wait until he had all the facts before him," said Mr. Hepburn.

Referring to Mr. Nixon's dissent from the banning of the March of Time film, "Canada at War," Mr. Hepburn said the picture had been advertised in Vancouver as a political film. In Montreal it had been advertised as filmed under the auspices of the Dominion government.

Mr. Hepburn said the showing of the film was advanced one month "in order to accommodate Mr. King," the Prime Minister. It was number eight in a series yet was being released ahead of number seven.

PROVED, HE SAYS

His charges regarding trouble at the St. Thomas Royal Canadian Air Force training school were proved at this morning session of the inquiry, and there was still more evidence to come, said Mr. Hepburn.

See report of Premier Hepburn's inquiry at St. Thomas, Ont., on page 2.

Finns, Reds Fight While Peace Talks Watched By World

By MAX HARRELSON

HELSINKI (AP)—The Russian army, fighting its way farther into Finland even as peace negotiations were under way in Moscow, has scored gains at both ends of the Mannerheim Line, the Finnish high command acknowledged today.

With Finland in anxious suspense regarding the peace talks, her people experienced no respite from war. Helsinki had five air alarms during the day, during one of which Russian planes were sighted high over the capital. No bombs were dropped.

The Russians continued the attack on the shore of the Bay of Viipuri behind the city of Viipuri at the western end of the Mannerheim Line, "achieving slight success in several places," the daily army communique stated. While at the eastern end, in Lake Ladoga, the invaders captured an island in the Pitkaranta Archipelago.

The communique, covering yesterday's military activities, indicated plainly that hostilities were continuing while Finnish Premier Risto Ryti and three aides were in Russia discussing a possible cessation of hostilities.

Between the city of Viipuri, threatened from the rear by shore attacks, and the Vuoksi River near the centre of the Mannerheim Line the Finns repulsed many local attacks, the communique said. Six Red tanks were reported destroyed.

The pendulum swung back and forth between peace prospects and indications of a continuing war.

SWEDISH OPINION

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Scandinavia held high hopes today that a peace agreement would be reached between Finland and Soviet Russia in their three-and-a-half-month conflict.

Newspapers were unanimous in expressing belief a peace agreement was near at hand, but there was no confirmation that a decision actually had been reached.

The Finnish delegation which went to Moscow last week was reported this morning to have left for home with the peace conditions by way of Stockholm, but the men failed to arrive and Swedes concluded they still were conferring in the Kremlin.

The belief was emphasized in informed quarters that the whole question of peace or continued war now has reached a point of final decision and that an announcement can be expected at any time.

The possibility that Germany and Italy might guarantee a Russian-Finnish peace was reported meanwhile in the Scandinavian press.

Finland's negotiators were generally assumed to have asked guarantees and it was expected the Finnish public, fearful of a "Finnish Munich," would insist on assurances against renewed Soviet attack if the present hostilities are ended.

Chamberlain Speaks

Allies Prepare to Give Finland Fullest Aid

LONDON (CP) — Making a statement in the House of Commons today, Prime Minister Chamberlain said the Allies "are prepared, in response to an appeal from them (the Finnish government) for further aid, to proceed immediately and jointly to the help of Finland, using all the available resources at their disposal."

He declined, however, to say whether it was proposed that regular troops should be sent.

A statement issued later at 10 Downing Street clarified the Prime Minister's words.

"As there appears to be misunderstanding about the reply given by the Prime Minister," it said . . . the Prime Minister desires to make it clear that no appeal for further aid has yet been received from the Finnish government."

LET SWEDEN ACT

The Prime Minister spoke in the Commons after it had been disclosed Britain had refused to relay Soviet peace terms to Finland. Foreign Office circles described these terms, relayed by Sweden after Britain had refused, as "onerous."

Asked by Clement Attlee, leader of the opposition, for a statement on the negotiations now in progress between Finland and Russia, Mr. Chamberlain said:

"The House will be aware that both the French and British governments have sent, and are continuing to send, material assistance to Finland. This has been a considerable value to the Finnish forces."

Asked if he could say anything regarding the question of a settlement of the Russo-Finnish conflict, Mr. Chamberlain said "I am afraid I have no information which is sufficiently reliable to give the House at the present moment."

Replying to a question about the earlier disclosure of a Soviet approach to Britain with proposed peace terms for Finland, Mr. Chamberlain said:

"It would be untrue to say the British government have been asked to mediate, but there was an occasion on which the Soviet ambassador mentioned certain terms which his government would be prepared to offer to Finland and His Majesty's government did not feel able to pass those terms on to Finland."

The statement was greeted with loud cheers.

LEAGUE DUTY

Mr. Attlee asked if any aid sent to Finland would be in "fulfilment of our obligation under the covenant of the League of Nations and in co-operation with other states similarly bound."

The Prime Minister replied: "It will certainly be in accordance with our obligations under the covenant. As to co-operation with other states, I have already mentioned that France is in association with ourselves. Of course I cannot say what other states might feel bound to do."

"Does this not mean that it is tantamount to us going to war with Russia?" asked David Kirkwood, Labor.

"We have not arrived at that yet," Mr. Chamberlain replied.

The Prime Minister refused to answer a question whether Britain is "proposing to send troops to Finland" and "if so, are they preparing to violate the neutrality of Norway and Sweden in doing so."

The Russian peace terms, it was disclosed, were transmitted February 22 by Ambassador Ivan Maisky to Richard Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

Foreign Office circles said they would have left Finland "helpless and defenceless" and the British government informed Finland later it had refused to act as intermediary.

The terms were said to have included "cession of territory covering Lake Ladoga, Viipuri, the whole of the Karelian Isthmus, islands in the Gulf of Finland now occupied by Soviet troops, the western half of the Rybachi Peninsula and a long lease of Hanko as a Russian naval base."

Authoritative sources said similar terms were submitted to Sweden about the same time and she conveyed them to Finland.

A source close to the British government asserted Sweden apparently had "not the same scruples as ourselves" about agreeing to mediate on such terms.

The Russian demands, London sources said, did not include cession by Finland of the Petsamo region in the far north.

Finland would be permitted to retain her outlet to the Arctic Sea in that region, as well as its famous nickel mines at nearby Salmijarvi, these sources said.

It was emphasized there were "no compensating commercial or territorial factors" in the terms submitted by Maisky. The impression in government circles here was that the present Russian-Finnish negotiations in Moscow were opened on the basis of the same terms.

SECOND CHARGE IN BANK ROBBERY

The second trial in the investigation of the armed robbery of the Victoria West branch of the Royal Bank on February 1, opened in the City Police Court this morning when Jack McNeil was brought before Magistrate Hall. He was remanded until tomorrow morning to have an opportunity of securing counsel.

McNeil, a middle-aged man with grey hair, was brought to the city on the midnight boat from Vancouver, where he appeared on a charge preferred by mainland police.

He is charged with being armed with an offensive weapon and robbing the bank branch. Walter McLaren is already under sentence of seven years after pleading guilty to the same offence.

3 Insane Patients Slain in Hospital

SALEM, Ore. (AP)—Dr. J. C. Evans, superintendent of the state hospital, said three male patients were strangled to death by another early this morning.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Firemen's Ball, Stacey's Hall, Sidney, Friday, April 26. Len Acres' orchestra. Floor show, refreshments and other attractions. ***

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King's Daughters' Daffodil Tea, April 4, Y.W.C.A. Flowers and candy for sale. Tea 25 cents. Musical program. ***

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Ladies' Aid Church of Our Lord will hold Easter tea and sale Wednesday afternoon, March 13, Cridge Memorial Hall, Humboldt and Broughton. ***

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Mr. K. C. McCannel, provincial forestry branch, will speak on "Provincial Parks and Dominion Forestry. Program for Youth Training," under auspices Society for Preservation of Native Plants. Moving pictures. City Hall council chamber, March 13, at 8 p.m. Public invited. ***

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Rummage sale Saturday, March 16, 735 Pandora. W.A. Canadian Scotish Regiment. ***

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St. Mary's Women's Guild rummage sale Tuesday, March 12, 2.30 p.m., St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay. Articles called for. Phone Mrs. Blowers, E 1371. ***

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The Shawnigan Beach Hotel at Shawnigan Lake will open for the season on Friday, March 15. ***

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The Victoria Short Wave Club Inc. will hold its tenth annual banquet at Spencer's dining-room, Saturday, March 16, at 6.45 p.m. All interested in radio are welcome. An interesting program has been arranged. ***

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Victoria School of Expression recital, March 15, 8 p.m., 734 Fort Street. Phone G 5525. ***

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Hitler Says War Forced on Reich

BERLIN (AP)—Breaking with the traditional ways of celebrating Germany's Memorial Day, Adolf Hitler yesterday sounded a war cry of "on to victory."

The speech, which lasted 11 minutes, was broadcast across Germany. The audience in the Zeugghaus (military museum) was composed of 600. On other occasions throngs have packed the state opera house for Memorial Day services.

"The western plutocracies declared the wildest war on us and threatened the complete annihilation of National Socialist Germany because of her 'volksgemeinshaft' (spirit of being a closely welded whole)," Hitler said.

Claiming the war had been "forced on us by imperialist England and France," Hitler said "our faith is the unity of the German nation, our highest confidence that of ultimate victory."

Hitler said he would press on to "the most glorious victory in Germany's history."

"I live for but one task," he said. "Day and night to think of victory, struggle, work and fight for victory, if necessary not to spare my own life in the conviction that this time Germany's future will be secured for centuries.

"May Providence permit us to conclude the last chapter of this struggle of nations honorably for the German people. This war, forced upon us, must turn out to be the most glorious victory in German history."

His speech was devoid of reference to diplomatic manoeuvring over the Russo-Finnish war or Foreign Minister con Ribbentrop's journey to Rome for conferences with Premier Mussolini.

TORONTO (CP)—Dome Mines Limited reports bullion production of $7,462,379 for the year 1939 and a net operating profit of $4,848,968, compared with $7,293,289 and $4,731,289 respectively in the previous year.

How To Overcome Piles And Rectal Soreness

If you are annoyed with itching piles or rectal soreness, do not neglect the same or run the risk of an operation. Any itching, soreness or painful passage of stool, is nature's warning and proper treatment should be secured at once. For this purpose get from Modern Pharmacy and Cunningham Drug Stores, or any druggist, a package of Hemroid and use as directed. This formula, which is used internally, quickly relieves the itching and soreness and aids in healing the sore, tender spots. Hemroid is highly recommended, is easy to use and it seems the height of folly for anyone to risk an operation when a simple remedy, which is so pleasant to use, may be had at such a reasonable cost.

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Only 1 Airman At Hepburn Investigation

By FRANK FLAHERTY

ST. THOMAS, Ont. (CP)—Witnesses told a police inquiry today that they had seen airmen walking through the streets of St. Thomas and that authorities were attempting to return the men to barracks on February 10, the day Premier Hepburn claims there was a "walkout" at the R.C.A.F. training centre near here.

Two theatregoers said military police had come to their picture houses and had attempted to round up airmen who were reported to have left the barracks without permission.

Another witness, Dalton Higgs, shop owner, told the commissioner, William H. Stringer, head of the provincial police, that "the walkout was the chief topic of conversation around town for days." He added that "residents of St. Thomas to my knowledge have accepted this walkout as a fact."

The 12 witnesses appearing before the commission, ordered by Premier Hepburn to investigate his own charges that trouble had occurred at the centre, spoke either from personal knowledge or from information obtained from members of the air force. Only one airman in uniform, J. A. Telfer, appeared at the hearing. He said he had come voluntarily to tell of what he knew of the incident.

Telfer said he had taken no part in what he described as a "walkout," but said he knew about it. He also told the commission, sitting ostensibly to investigate policing of Elgin County where is situated the big air force training school, the property and buildings of which are owned by the Ontario government.

Premier Hepburn, who came here Friday to arrange the hearing, was not present today. Neither the air force nor the defence department was represented.

The witnesses included Angus Johnson, former mayor of St. Thomas and now an inspector for the Ontario public works department; two theatre owners, two shop owners who said they saw the airmen walking down the streets, a provincial police constable and the night editor of a Toronto paper, whose statement was read to the commission because the editor was unable to appear.

BROWNLEE APPEAL HEARD IN LONDON

LONDON (CP)—The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council today began hearing the appeal of J. E. Brownlee, former premier of Alberta, from a judgment of the Supreme Court of Canada in the seduction suit of Vivian MacMillan.

Their Lordships at the outset caused a narrowing of the grounds of appeal by refusing Mr. Brownlee's counsel, Frank Gahan, leave to argue that the verdict of the trial jury was against the weight of evidence and that the judge had misdirected the jury.

At the trial in 1934 Miss MacMillan, who since has become Mrs. Henry Sorenson by her marriage to a druggist of Edson, Alta., alleged the incidents occurred during 1930 and 1931 while she was a stenographer in the Alberta government service. Mr. Brownlee at that time was head of the United Farmer government.

The jury returned a verdict of $10,000 in favor of Miss MacMillan and $5,000 in favor of her father, Allan D. MacMillan, railway employee who was associated with his daughter in bringing suit. The trial judge, Mr. Justice Ives, refused to enter the verdict and dismissed the case on the grounds that damages were the gist of such an action and that Miss MacMillan had not proved damages.

An appeal by the plaintiffs to the Alberta Court of Appeal was unsuccessful. The case then was taken to the Supreme Court of Canada, which in March, 1937, allowed the appeal and restored the jury's verdict of $10,000 in Miss MacMillan's favor.

After limiting the grounds of appeal today, the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council agreed to listen to counsel for Mr. Brownlee on a number of reasons contained in the appellant's case.

Miss MacMillan was not represented by counsel when the hearing of the case began after many postponements, but a solicitor representing her was in the court room and a copy of her case had been delivered. Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, K.C., was among the spectators.

Australia's Armed Forces Will Increase to 222,000

By J. E. HOLDSWORTH

SYDNEY, Australia (CP)—Australia expects to have a total of 222,000 men under arms in all fighting services either at home or overseas by June, 1941.

Prime Minister R. G. Menzies last week revealed the scope of the Australian war effort for the first time and announced it was planned to dispatch an army corps overseas.

It was learned today Australia's objective so far as overseas troops is concerned, is the maintenance on the war fronts of three modern "slimmed" divisions, of 16,000 men each, to be continually reinforced. This compares with five divisions of 20,000 men each in the first Great War.

In addition, it is proposed to raise a force of 1,200 technical troops such as railway troops to serve overseas, while an air squadron will also be maintained at the front and a flying boat squadron will be maintained in England.

These army plans are all in addition to Australia's responsibilities under naval arrangements and the empire air training scheme. The naval task of the Australian Commonwealth now is much greater than in the first Great War.

The total of 222,000 men under arms will be composed of 90,000 in the Australian infantry force, 78,000 in the home defence force, 34,000 men for the local and empire air training scheme, 9,000 in the permanent militia and 11,000 in the naval personnel.

COST INCREASES

This effort is estimated to cost $630,000,000 in the first two years of the war, compared with an expenditure of about $300,000,000 in the first two years of the last war.

The magnitude of Australia's war effort may have lost some of its impressiveness overseas because up to now no picture has been gained of the effort in its entirety, and official announcements have been restricted to small parts of the whole. The government's announcements were purposely made in piece-meal form because of the earlier fears of possible hostile action by Japan.

It is only since it has been recognized the Japanese navy is unlikely to help the Germans that Australia's military effort overseas could be fully stated. Even so, large forces are being maintained locally against the remote possibility of an attack on Australia, in which regard the situation here is totally different from that of Canada.

Australia began her army effort before the war started, expanding the regular militia from 30,000 to 78,000. The stipulation of a minimum of six months' training means a compulsory training system with the calling up of men between 20 and 22, but it is confidently expected a partially-trained militia will supply volunteers for overseas service.

One old-time division of 20,000 men has already enlisted for overseas service. Part of this force is now in Palestine and the remainder is almost ready to join them.

Now it is proposed to enlist another 70,000 men by June, 1941. Whether this will end the army's task in Australia depends, of course, on the length of the war.

AIR TRAINING

Australia's total obligation under the Empire air plan is estimated at 26,500 airmen plus about 50,000 ground staff. The proportion of the ground staffs that will be sent overseas is still unknown, but two-ninths—or slightly under a quarter—of the airmen will receive advanced training in Canada and the first batch will soon be in the sister Dominion for this final training.

VON RIBBENTROP IN ROME TALKS

ROME (AP)—Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop of Germany, fresh from talks with Pope Pius XII and King Vittorio Emanuele, today had his second conference with Premier Mussolini in two days.

Before calling at Il Duce's Palazzo Venezia office, Von Ribbentrop talked for half an hour with Foreign Minister Count Galeazzo Ciano during a day of intense diplomatic activity which observers found to indicate at least two things:

1. Adolf Hitler is making a friendly gesture toward the Vatican.

2. He is seeking Italy's views on the possibility of an extension of the war either by the Allies or Germany herself.

The German diplomat arrived at Vatician City at 10.50 a.m., (1.45 a.m., P.S.T.) and a few minutes later he was ushered into the presence of the Pontiff for a private audience.

The German foreign minister talked with the Pope for an hour in German, which the Pontiff speaks fluently.

He also paid the customary call of visiting diplomats to Luigi Cardinal Maglione, Papal Secretary of State. In all the German's visit to the Vatican lasted two hours and 15 minutes.

Von Ribbentrop and the Pope were believed to have disussed reports of seizures of church property, closings of many churches and alleged mistreatment of clerics and lay catholics in German-occupied territories.

TALKS WITH DUCE

Since nothing was known to the nature of Von Ribbentrop's talk of 1¼ hours with Mussolini yesterday, foreign reports that they concerned themselves with a guarantee of Finland's frontiers if Helsinki accepted Russian peace terms lacked confirmation.

But authoritative Fascists said that if a proposal for the joint guarantee were made, it was out of the question for Italy to become a guarantor because of geographical difficulties.

Premier Mussolini's attitude toward an outright German-Russian alliance can only be conjectured.

Italian press support of "an honorable peace" for Finland was interpreted in some foreign circles here at the week-end as possibly meaning that Italy had assurances from Germany that Russia would abstain from turning her armies into the Balkans, where Italy has declared her intention of defending her interests.

DANES OPTIMISTIC

COPENHAGEN (AP) — The Copenhagen Stock Exchange registered an average rise of five points today, apparently on the strength of reports regarded as encouraging concerning peace in Finland.

PIONEER MINE STRIKE CALLED OFF

PIONEER, B.C. (CP)—A five-month old strike by members of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter workers at Pioneer Gold Mines was called off at the week-end and union members were advised to apply for re-employment at the mine, one of British Columbia's major gold producers.

Decision to end the strike, called last October by the C.I.O.-affiliated I.U.M.M.S.W. for increased pay and working condition concessions, was taken at a meeting called by the union local yesterday afternoon.

Union spokesmen refused to comment on their decision.

The mine had been closed since October until last week, when it reopened with a reduced crew after a brief sitdown in the workings by two score strikers. The strikers ended their occupation of the mine after a conference with British Columbia Police Inspector John Shirras and company officials.

Premier T. D. Pattullo had ordered the strikers evicted and police protection, if necessary, for resumption of mine operations.

He said the strike was illegal because it had been called contrary to provincial legislation which provided for arbitration prior to any strike call.

Saturday night 300 members of the miners' co-operative committee walked out of a meeting at nearby Bralorne, called by I.U.M.M.S.W. members there to discuss aid for Pioneer strikers.

British-Italian Trade Agreement Believed Possible

LONDON (CP) — Prime Minister Chamberlain, reporting to the House of Commons on the week-end settlement of the British-Italian coal dispute, declared today "it may be hoped that the way now has been reopened for resumption of trade talks to the mutual advantage of both countries."

Mr. Chamberlain said he was "sure there would be genuine satisfaction in this country in the solution of what might have been a troublesome dispute by application of common sense and good will."

Asked whether Britain had been able to arrange to supply more coal to Italy now, the Prime Minister said "that no doubt will be the subject of further discussions."

Britain announced a blockade on exports of German coal to Italy. The Rome government lodged a strong protest, pointing out that Italy was dependent almost wholly on foreign coal for her home industries.

Britain's reply was to seize all Italian ships which left Netherlands ports with German coal after the blockade had gone into effect. Then Saturday night came sudden announcement of settlement of the dispute, with Britain releasing 13 Italian ships loaded with German coal and Italy agreeing not to send any more ships to Rotterdam for German coal.

When Anglo-Italian trade talks were broken off last month apparently one of the chief stumbling blocks was the question of Italian coal imports.

In 1939 Italy imported 11,000,000 tons of coal, of which 60 per cent came from Germany. It is estimated that not more than 3,000,000 tons of this can be handled by rail across the German-Italian border.

Britain, in demanding that shipment of German coal to Italy by sea must cease, proposed that Italy buy British coal available for export, but was understood to have demanded heavy industrial goods in payment. Italy was reported to have insisted on paying for any such coal mostly with agricultural products. There the talks ended and the diplomatic impasse followed.

Mr. Chamberlain said today that Italy's instructions for the sailing of coal ships from the Netherlands after March 1—the embargo deadline — despite the British announcement they would be stopped "was based on a misunderstanding."

"Recognizing this misunderstanding, His Majesty's government have agreed to release the ships which have been detained with their cargoes," said Mr. Chamberlain.

"On the other hand, the Italian government have undertaken on their side that the remainder of Italian coal ships now in port will leave in ballast and no further Italian cargo steamers will be sent to these ports to load coal."

The Times of London predicted in an editorial today that the peaceful adjustment of the dispute over coal cargoes may lead Gre. Britain and Italy to "a reciprocally advantageous adjustment of trade exchanges."

Bowling Date Set

VANCOUVER (CP) R. C. Sparling, secretary of the British Columbia Lawn Bowling Association, said today the association's annual tournament would be held here beginning July 15. Mr. Sparling, a past president, has been chosen to succeed the late L. C. Jack as secretary.

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Scuttled Ship Found By British

LONDON (CP)—Interception of the 5,600-ton German steamship Hannover by a British cruiser near Puerto Rico was announced by the Admiralty in communique which said the Nazi vessel and its valuable cargo had been set on fire and abandoned by the crew to avoid capture.

The Hannover, carrying 6,000 tons of ore and lumber, sailed last Tuesday from Willemstad, Netherlands West Indies, in its futile attempt to run the Allied blockade. Willemstad is about 460 miles due south of Mona Channel.

The Admiralty said the interception had taken place Thursday night in Mona Channel, a 75-mile strip of water separating Puerto Rico from the Dominican Republic.

No further details were supplied in the brief communique. This is the 34th Nazi merchant ship to be scuttled since the war's start.

Announcement of the Hannover's interception followed disclosure of the sinking of the 2,719-ton British freighter Chevychase in the North Sea, the Maindy Hill, 1,918-ton British merchant vessel and the Borthwick, 1,097 tons, also a British ship.

NAZIS LAND

CIUDAD TRUJILLO, Dominican Republic (AP)—Sailors from a German merchantman, destroyed after encountering a British cruiser, landed Sunday on the eastern Dominican coast. A report a second German ship had been seized by a British cruiser off Cape Engano on the east coast was being investigated. The name of the second ship also was not given.

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OTTER POINT—In a speech here Saturday night, Ronald Grantham, C.C.F. candidate, declared that shocking political conditions existed in Nanaimo riding.

"Hundreds are afraid to express their views as they depend in some small way upon the government party for work. They dare not attend meetings, and some will even vote against their convictions," he said.

The C.C.F. candidate declared that both old-line parties were supported by the same great financial interests. He said they counted on patronage for their support in country districts.

Mr. Grantham said the national government proposal was very dangerous and thought it would lead to conscription. He felt that a greater war effort would require conscription, and he did not feel Canada should send any men for war in Europe.

On the same platform, John Smith of Langford spoke of the rise of the C.C.F. in Canada and said that despite predictions that the party would soon break up, it was stronger today than ever.

CANADA'S REVENUE SHOWS INCREASE

OTTAWA (CP)—Total ordinary revenue of the Dominion government in the first 11 months of the current fiscal year amounted to $478,682,657, compared with $456,929,419 in the corresponding period the previous fiscal year, the comptroller of the treasury reported today. Special receipts brought the grand total to $478,797,032, compared with $457,454,955.

Total ordinary expenditures amounted to $336,592,644, compared with $347,626,695. When the amount of capital, special and other expenditures are added, the grand total of expenditures amounted to $518,917,340, compared with $445,689,465 in the corresponding period the previous fiscal year.

There was $85,480,701 expended from the $100,000,000 special war appropriation, plus $9,571,818 listed as ordinary expenditure of the national defence department. The ordinary expenditure of the department was $28,119,213 in the previous year.

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DREW INACCURATE, McLARTY DECLARES

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont. (CP)—Answering criticism of Conservative leader R. J. Manion that he was "dumb" when Parliament was dissolved on January 25, Labor Minister Norman McLarity said in an election speech Saturday that "if I was dumb on that occasion when Parliament was in session but three hours, when there were but three speakers, then so also were the other 147 members present at that session.

"If I was dumb it was because Dr. Manion spoke so much as to preclude anyone else talking at that time. If I was dumb on January 25 I was not more dumb than Dr. Manion on October 25 when Duplessis was suggesting that Canada limit its participation in war."

The Minister of Labor said Dr. Manion would be well advised to refrain from personal attacks at this time that could only be construed as detrimental to Canada, to Britain and France, her Allies in the present war, and as both "an aid and comfort to the enemy."

Mr. McLarty said of Lieut.-Col. George Drew, the Ontario Conservative leader, that the nearer the election approached the farther away Col. Drew got historically.

He said Col. Drew had compared the adjournment of the special session to Crowwell's dissolution of the "Long Parliament," and suggested that if Col. Drew was not more accurate in his public utterances than he was in his history, he would have little to go on. There was no comparison, the special session having sat a few hours while the "Long Parliament" had been in session for 12 years.

Mr. McLarty added that before the election Col. Drew would be dealing with the Acropolis, and might even reach Egyptian history in his comparison with current political events.

Dealing with the charge of Hon. James Lyons that the steel plant at the Sault had received no war orders, the Labor minister said that orders for shell steel were not being given to private companies, but were being taken care of at government arsenals.

He charged Dr. Manion had scuttled the Conservative Party through his creation of the "National Government Party." Prime Minister Mackenzie King was a friend of labor, "and when Mackenzie King deserts the laboring people of this Dominion it will be when the breath deserts his body."

Awarded D.F.C.

LONDON (CP)—An official announcement said the King has awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross to Acting Flight Lieutenant Robert Henry Niven of Calgary for "gallantry and devotion to duty in the execution of air operations."

His name appears on the latest list of awards to 15 officers, and men of the Royal Air Force.

Niven, 26, was given a short service commission with the R.A.F. in 1935, was promoted to be flying officer in 1938 and acting flight lieutenant in 1939 and recently flew with home squadrons. He also worked for a period at the Air Ministry.

To Go to Finland

TORONTO (CP) — Senator Arthur Meighen, chairman of the Finnish aid committee, stated today 2,000 Canadian volunteers have been pledged to Finland by the committee, which launched an appeal today for $60,000 to send the men overseas to aid the republic in its fight with Russia.

"Ontario has already sent 200 volunteers to Finland," he said. "Another 500 are ready now and will leave within a few days, while within two weeks 1,500 more will be ready to go."

Mrs. Kathleen Burke Hale, called during the last war "The Angel of France," is pictured as she sailed recently from New York. She will survey Allied relief needs and return to the United States to stimulate relief service. During the World War she crossed the Atlantic 18 times, raised over $4,000,000 in the United States for Allied causes.

Manion Tries Bribery, Says Hon. C. D. Howe

OTTAWA (CP) — Hon. C. D. Howe, Transport Minister, said in an election speech here that the promise of Conservative Leader Manion to abolish the radio license fees "can be nothing more than an attempt to bribe Canadian people with their own money."

In a 30-minute address over an Ontario network, Mr. Howe, who has jurisdiction over radio broadcasting, said victory at the polls for Dr. Manion would mean that "national radio as we now have it is likely to disappear."

Abolition of the license fee of $2.50 a year for each receiving set would withdraw nearly $3,000,000 of the $3,500,000 it costs annually to carry on the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, the minister said.

If the license fee were dropped this money would have to come from advertisers and would be lost to newspapers and magazines, or it would have to be raised by taxation. If the radio were turned over to commercial interests the 50,000-watt stations on the prairies and in the Maritime provinces would be abandoned, since they would not be profitable.

Charging the government's political opponents with waging a campaign of "villification and abuse," Mr. Howe specifically named Premier Hepburn of Ontario, Lt.-Col. George Drew, Ontario Conservative leader, Dr. Manion and "a former Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario."

Mr. Howe denied there was any censorship of political broadcasts beyond the necessary restrictions laid down in the Defence of Canada regulations. "I want to make it clear that criticism of the government is not an offence under the regulations," he added.

COLDWELL SEES FASCISM HERE

SYDNEY, N.S. (CP)—Criticizing censorship of press and radio, M. J. Coldwell, national chairman of the C.C.F., believes "we have danger of Fascism right in our own country today."

Discussing the Defence of Canada Act, he said the "regulations are drastic," adding that "we have to guard well our democratic institutions." This was not done by suppressing free speech through censorship and "practically outlawing members and organizations convicted of minor breaches of the act when the alleged offence was without any direct bearing on the successful prosecution of hostilities."

"Determination to bring the war to a successful conclusion is the aim of the C.C.F. as well as the Liberal and Conservative parties," Mr. Coldwell said. "But we are not in agreement with the older parties in the way this might be brought about, and we are especially opposed to establishment of conscription in this country."

Mr. Coldwell spoke against a national government. Should one be formed as the result of this election, the C.C.F. would "be in opposition regardless of which of the old-line parties brings it about."

Operation of essential industries "on a national basis" was advocated by the speaker. "There must be no profiteering for the duration of this war," he said.

It's Ides of Hitler Now, Not the Ides of March

For seven years Adolf Hitler has presented the world with a brand-new crisis almost every March — and the ides are approaching again.

"Beware the ides of March!" warned the soothsayers to Julius Caesar of the day he was to go on the spot in the old Roman way. The ides, specifically, was the 15th, but the word was loosely applied to the seven days preceding. And Hitler has taken them for his own.

Here is the record of Hitler in March

On March 3, 1933, Hitler showed up as the strongest single factor in the Reichstag elections. On March 23 he won dictatorial power from the Reichstag.

Two years later, on March 12, 1935, he told the British and French to go climb a tree—that he was going to build an air force despite the Treaty of Versailles. On March 16 he reintroduced compulsory military service, and began officially building up the army that was later to conquer Poland.

Within a year, March 7, 1936, Hitler's troops reoccupied the Rhineland, wiping out the last military clauses of the Versailles Treaty.

For two years the German military machine grew and grew, but it was between March 11 and March 13, 1938, that his legions marched into Austria and annexed it without a shot being fired. The British and French fumed as March passed, did nothing.

It was exactly on the fatal ides of March 15, 1939, that Hitler began his annexation of Czechoslovakia.

What's more, the ides of March this year fall on Friday. And that's uncomfortably close to the Saturday which is Hitler's lucky day. The Nazi party purge of 1934, the conscription decree of 1935, the Rhineland occupation of 1936, the Austrian seizure of 1938 were all put over on Saturday.

U.S. Soon May Sell Fast Planes to Allies

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States war department is considering the release of its latest model 400-mile-an-hour fighting planes for sale to France and Great Britain, it was reported authoritatively today.

Aircraft trade circles heard that the plane is the Curtiss P-40, which France especially has sought since an earlier and slower model of the same type demonstrated its worth in actual combat.

R.A.F. MACHINES OVER VIENNA

WITH THE ROYAL AIR FORCE IN FRANCE (CP-Reuters) — British long-distance bombers landed in France early yesterday after making the Royal Air Force's third leaflet-dropping flight over the capitals of Austria and Czechoslovakia.

Manned by the most youthful crews in the service, they clocked in with the punctuality of giant airliners.

The officers in one of the aircraft which left England for Vienna—the pilot, a New Zealander, and the second pilot from Canada—reported they had flown comparatively low over the towns en route.

Some time was spent over Munich, and Linz was also circled before the Austrian capital was reached.

"The most we saw of enemy aircraft," said one pilot, "was a plane coming in to land at an airfield we passed over. We spotted it by its navigation lights."

Visibility was good throughout the flight. In the Black Forest and eastward to Vienna there was some snow.

Other raiders, making Prague, had a cloudless passage, but very cold. Mannheim and Nuremberg were among a number of places identified on the way.

R.C.A.F. PLANE HELD IN U.S.

OTTAWA (CP)—A Westland-Lysander plane of the No. 112 (City of Winnipeg) army co-operation squadron in training here which made a forced landing at Alexandria Bay, N.Y., Saturday afternoon, still was at that point today.

Pilot Officer A. E. L. Cannon of Quebec, in charge of the plane, and Leading Aircraftsman J. Duguid of Winnipeg, the air gunner, were not injured seriously in the landing and suffered only from shock. The plane was damaged badly, the National Defence Department announced.

On a training flight, the pilot lost his bearings, ran out of fuel and was forced to bring the plane down.

A spokesman for the External Affairs Department said the department had been advised of the forced landing and had informed the Canadian Legation at Washington about the situation.

The legation will take the question of internment of the two fliers up with the United States state department. It was not known here whether they will be interned or not.

Pilot Officer Cannon is a son off Mr. Justice Lucien Cannon of the Quebec Superior Court and Minister of Justice in the previous cabinet of Prime Minister Mackenzie King. He is 21.

Plane Damaged

PARRY SOUND, Ont. (CP)—Missing since early Saturday morning on a training flight from the Camp Borden station of the Royal Canadian Air Force, Pilot Officer F. A. Edmonds of Halifax was discovered near here yesterday by a search party.

The flier said he lost his way in a blizzard and his engine had been missing. He spent Saturday night in the shelter of a summer cabin. His bombing plane smashed its propeller in landing, but apparently was not badly damaged.

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A number of long-range reconnaissance flights were carried out the night before both by French and German squadrons.

There was a spurt of land patrol operations in the zone to the west of the Vosges Mountains where French outposts reported turning back several enemy detachments.

This morning's official communique advised that there was "nothing to report" in the way of war news.

The war cabinet met today at the Elysee Palace under the chairmanship of President Albert Lebrun.

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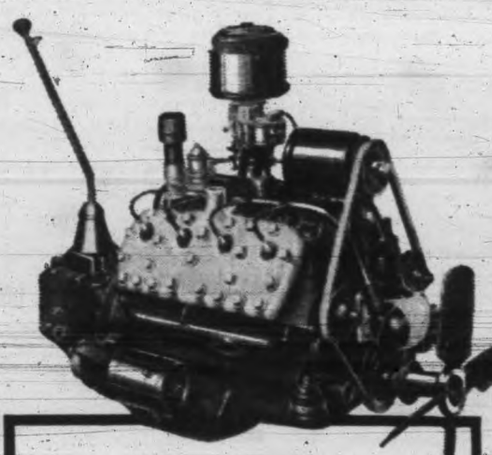

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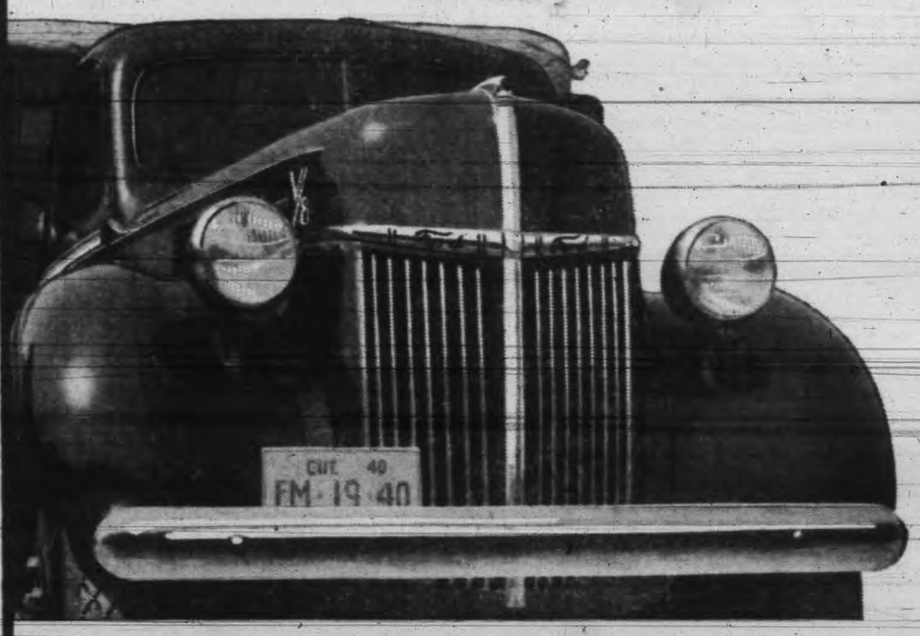

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Diplomatic Astuteness

BRITAIN AND ITALY, TRADITIONAL friends since the days of the Risorgimento, have disposed of a delicate diplomatic incident upon which the interest of the world had centred for a day or so last week. In accordance with the policy of economic pressure which the Allies are exerting against Germany, the British government ordered the seizure of several Italian ships that were carrying Nazi coal to Italy, but released them on Saturday on the distinct understanding that this means of transit would not again be attempted. To be set against the denial of Italy's right to use the high seas for the transport of this commodity from the Reich, however, Great Britain assured the Italian government she would facilitate the shipment of all the British coal it might require in return for certain industrial and agricultural commodities useful to the Allied cause.

There will be no disposition to suggest that Britain's action in this case was intended to anticipate the visit of Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop to Rome. Italy, in common with other nations, knew that the British policy of contraband control was no make-believe, and that it would be prosecuted without fear or favor. It was nevertheless an interesting coincidence that the ships were released, that the quid pro quo was announced, while the Reich's Foreign Minister was on his way to the Holy City to meet Il Duce and Foreign Minister Galeazzo Ciano. What effect, if any, this rapid turn of events has had or will have on the length of his sojourn in the Italian capital, or on the nature of his discussions, we are not permitted to know. It is reasonable to assume nevertheless that if Herr von Ribbentrop expected to find some new enthusiasm for the Rome-Berlin axis as a result of the coal ship seizure, he will probably be disappointed.

This incident in all its implications, foreshadowing as it does the prospect of the conclusion of a new trading arrangement between Great Britain and Italy, emphasizes what has been a moot point ever since the war began. It demonstrates what will appear to most people as a definite inclination on the part of Italy to avoid almost at any cost any serious straining of relations between London and Rome. Not that the seizure of these Italian coal ships was intended as a species of test case, an attempt to sound out the present strength of Italian-German relations, but rather that it gave Britain an opportunity to demonstrate in the most effective manner possible her intentions in this vital matter of two-way contraband control. And it has disclosed, unless our estimate of the effect of the prompt settlement is wide of the mark, that Italy has no intention of provoking the Allies or of wilfully impeding their cause.

Blessed Are the Meek

SOME OF THE ELECTORS IN THIS CONstituency may not have noted one significant part of the speech which Brigadier Sutherland Brown delivered in the presence of Lieut.-Colonel George Drew at the Royal Victoria Theatre last Thursday night. This is what the Conservative candidate said:

"The Parliament has been woefully weak in those who know about military, naval and air force matters. It is true there have been some ex-service men in Parliament, but they are not soldiers in the true sense of the word. They are men who turned temporarily from civilian life to soldiering, and have not studied the higher strategy of war. I am the only professional soldier in the Dominion who is running as a candidate."

It is not for us to speculate on the effect this statement may have had on Dr. Manion. He comes indubitably within the category of those members of Parliament "who turned temporarily from civilian life to soldiering." And there is nothing in the latest biographical sketch of the Conservative leader's accomplishments which recites any particular application to the "higher strategy of war." But Brigadier Brown is nothing if not impartial. At Victoria West nearly two weeks ago he very pointedly proclaimed that Mr. King was not the right man to be Prime Minister in time of war, because he had had no military experience whatever, and did not understand war and the operations of war. This struck us at the time as shedding a new and novel light on the job which the British Commonwealth has undertaken, and particularly that part of it the government in London is playing. For it follows, after digesting Brigadier Brown's dictum, Private Neville Chamberlain must be wondering whether he is not usurping—and we use the term advisedly—the authority which rightly should be given to a professional soldier. That, of course, is a matter over which we in Canada cannot expect to exercise control.

Not so, however, with Dr. Manion. For instance, if the leader of the National Conservative-National Government—or what you will—Party should be instructed by the people of Canada to form a government after March 26, and if his standard-bearer should head the poll in Victoria, Brigadier Sutherland Brown must perforce follow his thesis to its logical conclusion and demand that he, as the only professional soldier to be sent to the House of Commons, be permitted to assume the position of rightful heir to the mantle which Mr. Mackenzie King will then have shedded.

Play Fair With Visitors

DOZENS OF UNITED STATES NEWSpapers and periodicals, especially those which have been favored with dividend-returning advertising contracts, are discussing in the friendliest manner Canada's desire for more and still more American tourists this year. It is well that this should be so, not only because the money which visitors from the neighboring republic spend in this country constitutes a substantial contribution to the Dominion's economy, but also because the more American dollars that can be attracted to this side of the 49th parallel the better our financial position will be under commercial relations which the present state of war is imposing. We shall be buying for some time to come a great deal more from our neighbor than we can hope to sell. One United States daily, however, injects this veiled note of warning, which furnishes its own commentary:

"As a lure, the government is going to promise Americans that, in so far as it is possible to prevent it, there will be no swindling. Merchants, banks, hotel keepers and everyone else who has benefited directly from tourist trade have been ordered to pay Americans the full premiums for exchanging United States currency. Currently, the premium on American dollars varies between 10 and 15 cents. On a $100 vacation, this will add up to a tidy little sum. And if the Canadian government has anything to say about it, Americans are going to get every penny of it. Tourists, used to petty swindles of European shopkeepers who spot all Americans as suckers, will be glad to hear that in Canada, at least, they will be given an even chance."

Every Canadian doing business with the stranger within our gates, no matter from whence he comes so long as he brings good will, should see to it that neither by word nor action is he given cause for complaint—particularly in this matter of exchange. There is nothing in the world more sensitive than money. A visitor may be quite content to throw his dollars all over the place, take fictitious values on holiday because he feels like doing something differently; but the instant he discerns the "fine Italian hand" of the supposedly smart person, who delights in trying to squeeze a few extra cents from him, he kicks up a row on general principles. Nor is he to be blamed. But it is this type of complaint which usually does more damage, diverts more lucrative business, than the ancient "wallet trick."

Another Hitlerian Shout

HITLER'S OUTBURST YESTERDAY WAS was another indication of his growing fanaticism. Its implication from start to finish was that Germany is innocent of everything of which she stands indicted before all the world, that she is the victim of the aggression of "capitalistic countries," that Britain and France have no other objective than the annihilation of the German state and people, and that, in other words, he and the Reich are a great deal more sinned against than sinning. On top of this, of course, the Fuehrer assured all within the sound of his voice and those beyond that complete and glorious victory for the Reich is a foregone conclusion.

We moderns, as well as the Greeks, have a name for this type of bombast. And perhaps Hitler, in the back of his extraordinary mind, hears it pounding. Whether he does or not, he must know that most of the protestation to which he gave shouting expression yesterday is nothing more than sheer balderdash, and that if he is pinning his hopes of greater glory for himself on victory over the Allies, he is doomed to a rude awakening before many years have passed. Not that the peoples of the British and French empires are minimizing the task before them, not that they expect the right kind of victory without experiencing many dark and discouraging days, but they know their cause to be right and are prepared to see it through. This time, however, the mistakes of the past will be the warning lights for the future.

The millennium will be much closer when wisecrackers finally forget about "Gone With the Wind."

The superabundance of Roosevelts in the United States confuses Europeans. It was all so much simpler in the days of Teddy.

A Conservative Tribute

From Toronto Star

The Conservative London Free Press says that "There is no man who has stood up so much for parliamentary and constitutional rights, and for the privileges of British liberty and freedom as Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King." It thinks, therefore, that if it had been Mr. Manion who dissolved Parliament, Mr. King would "thunder on the hustings if he were opposition leader today." But the Free Press adds:

"The facts are that both parties and all leaders are constitutionalists and believe in the rights of Parliament. Sir Robert Borden, Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, and Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett were just as great upholders of our parliamentary system as Mr. King. Hon. Dr. Manion is attacking the sudden dissolution of Parliament and the censorship and it is good politics to turn the tables on the Liberal leader. But one cannot imagine Mr. King ever developing into a Hitler any more than the genial Dr. Manion."

That is, of course, true. And if there are electors who did not already know that the attacks upon Mr. King as a dictator are just "good politics," they can take it from the leading Conservative paper of western Ontario that such is the case.

Parallel Thoughts

Verily, verily, I say unto you: That ye shall weep and lament, but the world shall rejoice: and ye shall be sorrowful, but your sorrow shall be turned into joy.—St. John 16.20.

The soul would have no rainbow had the eyes no tears.—John Vance Cheney.

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

THEY DON'T LIKE IT

IT IS A GREAT MISTAKE to try to say anything sensible these days. People resent it. A great many have written to me about some pieces I did lately for this newspaper concerning the cost of the war, and I could see that they all resented them. Several said frankly they wished I would just write about the flowers and the politicians and light things like that.

This is a sound view. I am right behind people who refuse to pay any attention to the problems of these times, who wave them aside and go fishing. That is probably the most sensible thing you can do right now, the only way you can keep sane in these days of madness and an election campaign on top of it all. I am all for these bold, carefree spirits who rise above the clamor and the scuffling and the toil. But I ask them to be consistent in their boldness.

When a man says to me I don't care a rap about your economic system, your politics, your crumbling world, I hail him as a brother. But I don't expect him, in the next breath, to denounce my opinions on these things. I don't expect him to say he doesn't know a thing about them and then proceed to deliver a lecture on them. But they all do.

If a man went into a doctor's office and said, well, I don't know a thing about medicine, I have never attended a class in anatomy or seen a germ, but I am going to give you my considered views on the cure of pneumonia—if a man did that, you would think it peculiar. But a hundred times a week men who know still less about our public affairs will stop you on the street, and drag you into doorways or even into beer parlors and pay for your beer, merely to give you their considered opinion about these things.

All I say is, if people want to go fishing, that is fine, but let them go. Don't then mix their fish with serious business. Let them keep their lures, hooks and worms out of the stream of public thought.

STABBED IN BACK

HOWEVER, AMONG the serious fellows I realize that I have been a disappointment. I know that many of them think I have betrayed them lately. Because I have dropped kind words now and then, several Communists have secretly hailed me as a brother. A fat old man in a torn raincoat invariably stops me on the street and, putting his finger mysteriously on his nose, remarks that things are going according to schedule and we know what is happening, and I say of course we know what is happening, without any idea of who he is or what he is talking about. And a cadaverous gentleman has been nodding and winking at me for years under the impression, I believe, that I am a member of the Republican Army of Southern Ireland.

So when you utter a word of sense now and then you are instantly denounced as a traitor. Why, a Social Crediter came all the way to my door out in the country yesterday to leave me a long and laborious letter, written more in sorrow than in anger, because I had gone back on Social Credit, though I have studied it and long since believed it to be the crowning lunacy of a lunatic era. The Technocrats about here have got a lamp post picked out for me. My Communist friends say I have stabbed the revolution in the back.

SLOGANS

THE TROUBLE is that we all approach all the problems of these times (if we haven't the sense to go fishing) from a special standpoint; not to learn anything but to confirm our own theory, to make all events fit into the pattern we have already formed for them, whether it be orthodox capitalism, monetary reform or socialism. Whereas, if anything at all is clear today, it is that no pattern whatever is going to apply to events in our lifetime; no theory is going to work out; no system is going to be followed. Instead, we are going to have a hodge-podge of nearly every known theory and many unknown, producing a combined product without name or history, more or less by accident. And long after it has been working for years theorists of every sort are going to stand on street corners shouting that of course the darned thing will never work because it doesn't conform to their own slogan.

The human animal does not like uncertainty. He likes to feel that he knows where he is going. That is why most of the human race, without artifical support, is unable to face our future, in which no one can possibly know where he is going. That is why people fly to trick remedies and rush into movements where they used to rush into church, and shout slogans where they used to sing hymns. The wiser ones go fishing. Only very foolish people try to set down anything sensible, without a slogan and a fancy plan. After this I am going to stick to the flowers and the bees and the politicians and the other beautiful simplicities of nature.

GEMS OF THOUGHT—EXAMPLE

"Nothing is so infectious as example."—Charles Kingsley.

"What grander ambition is there than to maintain in yourselves what Jesus loved, and to know that your example, more than words, makes morals for mankind!"—Mary Baker Eddy.

"We can do more good by being good, than in any other way."—Rowland Hill.

"Much more gracious and profitable is doctrine by example, than by rule."—Spenser.

"Example is a lesson that all men can read."—Gilbert West.

How's the Election Going?

From Financial Post, Toronto, March 9—(The Financial Post and MacLean's Magazine, published by the same company, have led the attack on Ian Mackenzie and the defence department through articles written by Col. George Drew and other opponents of the government.)

IF YOU listened exclusively to either the Liberal or National-Government-Conservative propaganda you would be convinced that the election is virtually over: That we are in the midst of a political landslide of epochal significance.

When Hon. Dr. Manion finished his western tour on February 27, he announced a Manion sweep west of the Lakes. From Liberal headquarters come reports of an even greater majority in the new Parliament than the old. The C.C.F. pretends at least that its prewar hopes of 25 seats are undimmed, while New Democracy talks cheerily of 20 to 30 seats in the new House.

COMPULSORY OPTIMISM

It is as well to remember that politicians, as Dr. Johnson once said of obituary writers, are not upon oath, particularly when discussing their chances at the polls. Occasionally they have the good grace to say so, as, for example, Dr. Manion said in Parliament last May 3: "It is a little hard to be in politics and not to be wrong in regard to prophecies about elections, because you have to say you are going to win even though you do not think you are."

In this election Dr. Manion is claiming a sweep which will put him in office.

The Liberals cannot hope to gain in parliamentary strength, but they are not conceding any losses.

The C.C.F. adheres to its prewar hope of 25 seats, and New Democracy (alias Social Credit), like the Liberals, does not foresee a smaller following in the new Parliament.

BEHIND THE SCENES

Behind the scenes, however, the politicians talk a little differently. Dr. Manion and his immediate lieutenants are unquestionably sure of victory. But leading Conservatives do not share their optimism. These men, who are long experienced in campaigns, place Dr. Manion's prospective strength at from 65 to 80 members.

The C.C.F. will be lucky to double its strength from 7 to 14 members. New Democracy depends chiefly on the fate of the Aberhart government, which is reported to be most uncertain.

SEE MAJORITY CUT

All this means that realistic political observers forecast that the present government will be returned but with a greatly reduced majority—perhaps 140 to 145 members. Actually, while the Liberals are claiming as many seats as they now hold, they are troubled by the fear that the general situation cannot possibly be as favorable as it seems. The older hands are becoming jumpy in a campaign which produces no Macedonian cries for help, no demands from candidates for assistance.

This is the situation as it stands on the eve of nomination day. A glance at the facts will show why more spectacular changes are not to be expected.

There are 245 seats in the House of Commons. The party strength at dissolution was:

Liberals	180
Conservatives	39
Social Credit	17
C.C.F.	7
Independents	2

SEATS WILL SHIFT

In the Maritime Provinces there are 26 seats, now held, with one exception, by the Liberals. It is inconceivable that the Conservative strength will not swing back toward normal. Most observers concede the Conservatives four seats in New Brunswick and two or three in Nova Scotia. The C.C.F. is also expected to carry a seat or two in the industrialized area of Nova Scotia. The Liberals will be fortunate to return with 17 out of the 26.

In Quebec the Liberals hold 60 out of 65 and no one seriously expects the Liberal following to decline. Indeed, the defection of the Montreal Conservatives from Dr. Manion makes it probable that the Liberals will gain a seat or two. Quebec decided its war allegiance on October 25 and is most unlikely to change.

In Ontario the standing is, Liberals 56, Conservatives 25, Independents 1. Here the Liberals hold far more seats than ever before in the party's history and substantial losses are regarded as inevitable. It is unlikely, however, that the outcome will cut Liberal strength below half the total.

C.C.F. GAIN IN WEST

The west has 71 seats, divided Liberals 38, Conservatives 7, C.C.F. 7, Social Credit 17, Independents 2. Latest advices from the west indicate that the Conservatives are trying more to defeat the Liberal candidates than win for themselves. If Dr. Manion gets 12 seats in the west he will be doing well. Liberal strength at 38 might well fall to 30 and the C.C.F. emerge with more members than the Social Creditors. Much, however, depends upon the Alberta election. If the Aberhart government is either defeated or seriously damaged, the Social Credit movement will share his discredit.

Prospects are for the return of the present government with an adequate majority and for Dr. Manion to gain sufficient strength to retain his leadership and provide a more vigorous opposition.

FOR THE FINNS

To the Editor:—The Finnish Red Cross Committee of British Columbia will, by courtesy of our City Council, hold a tag day to aid the sufferers of the Russo-Finnish conflict on Saturday, March 16.

The Finnish consul, chairman of this Red Cross committee, has requested the Remembrance Day Committee to assist them in this endeavor and we have, naturally, placed our facilities at his disposal.

However, to make this tag day a complete success, a large number of taggers is necessary and, accordingly, through the courtesy of your columns, we now appeal to the officers of all local organizations to kindly request as many of their members as possible to assist in this regard. By so doing they will not only help this worthy cause but also avoid the necessity of fewer taggers having to hold a position for too lengthy a period.

If those to whom this appeal is addressed will either write or telephone this office (G 7814) regarding the numbers they can muster, the Remembrance Day Committee will arrange for them to attend a meeting in the near future when a good working organization can be brought into force.

C. A. GILL,
Secretary, Remembrance Day Committee.

700 MILES OF BALLOONS

From Manchester Guardian

Expansion of the national balloon barrage is going ahead at high speed and already it extends over 700 miles of land and sea. Several new coastal barrages are being created.

LONG AND SHORT OF IT

From Guelph Mercury

A western defaulter is described as six feet tall and $20,000 short.

VOGUE AND VAGUE

From Kingston Whig-Standard

An American sociologist describes the modern girl as "all vogue on the outside and all vague on the inside."

THE JOLLY OLD DAYS OF JINRIKISHAS, ETC.

From Japan Times Weekly, Tokyo Propaganda Weekly

The private jinrikisha puller had to take care of the vehicle, sweep around the house, act as a watchman, and pull the vehicle with the members of his employer's family as passengers. He was often tipped by the family his master called upon. This was particularly the case in the instance of doctor's jinrikisha puller. In short, he was the outdoor waiter to the members of his master's family. Those were jolly old days when many men of wealth kept mistresses, and their pullers had an extra income for keeping the matter secret from their employers' hysterical wives.

DICKENS ON THE WAR

From The Times, London, Letter Column

A good deal has been said of late as the invasion of the Englishman's home by evacuees and others. In Dickens' "Great Expectations," chapter 57, I notice that Joe pronounces that "a Englishman's 'ouse is his castle, and castles must not be busted 'cept when done in wartime."—Lady Evans, Thousand Acres, Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire.

Political independence need not coincide exactly with economic independence.

—Francis B. Sayre, high commissioner to the Philippines.

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "He is ambitious for success."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "Wednesday"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Compleet, complexion, complacence.

4. What does the word "paramount" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with re that means "a clever and witty retort"?

Answers

1. Say: "He is ambitious of success." 2. Pronounce wenz-di, i as in did, and not wed-ens-day. 3. Complete. 4. Superior to all others. "This is our paramount duty." 5. Repartee.

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TOURING ARTISTS ENTERTAIN 900

Members of the Imperial Three Star entertainers presented a two-hour show of singing, dancing, novelty and music before 900 persons at the Shrine Auditorium Friday. Hundreds were turned away as the touring artists, performing in celebration of the diamond anniversary of the introduction of Imperial Oil into Canada, presented one of the most successful concerts held here for some time.

The program consisted of the following: Miss Bonnie Brooks, soprano, "Blue Danube" and "My Prayer;" Miss June Lathrop, tap dancing and xylophone solos "Czardas" and "Marionette," a novelty; Charles Jones, baritone, "That's Why Darkies Were Born" and "Old Man River," in costume; Ray Tyldesley, violin selections, "Kiss Me Again," novelty number by members of the band, "Kitchen Rangers" and "The Little Red Fox;" burlesque overture of "Poet and Peasant," led by Roy Barry; Chris Kenny, comedy, ventriloquism and conjuring; "Victor Herbert Selections" by the orchestra and the troup; and an orchestral selection, "18th Century Drawing Room."

The orchestra which supported the artists was led by Leo Martin and consisted of the following: Mart Leey, Ray Tyldesley, Barney Potts and Bob Smith.

Roy Barry, comedian and entertainer, was master of ceremonies.

Woman Condemned

BEAUVAIS, France (AP)—The mother of nine children, Mme. Odette Hennon, was sentenced by the Beauvais criminal court to be guillotined for murdering her husband, Modeste Hennon. The 17-year-old daughter, Giselle, accused of complicity in the murder committed a year ago, was acquitted.

25 Years Ago

March 11, 1915

LONDON—Under cover of the fire of French heavy artillery, British troops have captured Neuve Chapelle, three and a half miles north of La Bassee.

LONDON—A Copenhagen dispatch to the Daily Mail says: "It is reported in German naval circles that 11 submarines have been lost since February 18."

FREDERICTON—Very Rev. C. D. Schofield has accepted an invitation to the Deanery of Columbia, which carries with it the rectorship of Victoria, B.C. He expects to complete his duties here the last Sunday in April.

Private Smith, former outside right for the Fifth Regiment soccer team, left yesterday for the 47th Battalion at New Westminster. The absence of this sterling player will greatly handicap the Fifth in the Jackson Cup series.

SEES NO SOLUTION IN ARMS VICTORY

Liberal and Conservative ideas on the war were based on the fallacious idea that the war could be won by force of arms or mass starvation of civilians, Kenneth McAllister, C.C.F. candidate, said in an address in the James Bay C.C.F. clubrooms Saturday night.

The candidate claimed peace was only possible when Britain, France and Germany got around the conference table together to settle their differences.

Crushing of the Germans would not bring world peace any more in 1945 than it did in 1918, he declared.

The war, he added, would settle nothing of real value to the people. The nations would eventually have to accept the proposal of the C.C.F. for co-operation and a peace conference that would include neutrals as well as belligerents.

The shortest way to victory, he continued, was to convince the German people that the British and the French and the Canadian people have the same hopes of economic justice that they have. National sovereignty must be sacrificed to federal sovereignty. Resources must be co-operatively exploited for the benefit of all humans.

NO DECISION ON CITY WORKS VOTE

Announcement of any main projects which may be undertaken by the city public works department this year will have to await further consideration by the committee in estimates, Alderman Ed. Williams, chairman, stated Saturday following a meeting of his group.

During the session the committee approved erection of a stop sign on Richardson Street at Moss, favored removal of a tree on Blackwood near Montrose, decided to recommend to the council sick pay for a garbage department employee, granted Cameron Wood and Coal Company Limited use of 482 Chatham Street for a woodyard, supported a request for a $456 vote for a storm sewer on Montreal Street, between Ontario and Simcoe, and received and filed a communication from the St. James Hotel protesting noise outside those premises late at night.

The Victoria Automobile Club's request for substitution of school signs for existing 15-mile-an-hour signs on sections of Pandora, was tabled, pending passage of special legislation to cover that point.

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Community singing, dances, vocal numbers, instrumental solos and comedy were enjoyed.

The program was as follows: Ted Bragge, tap dancing; J. McAllister, vocal solos; A. Veals, comedy; H. Harman, clog and sand dance; J. Dobble, vocal solos; J. Watson, saxophone solos; G. Pinnington, comedy recitation; J. Filtness, banjo selections; A. Jacklin and G. Ford, impersonation of Bergen and McCarthy; A. Stafford, cornet solo.

Members of the orchestra were: C. Boulter (conductor), C. Ferris, A. Stafford and J. Watson. K. Campbell and A. Bacon were in charge of lights.

Aubrey Jones acted as master of ceremonies.

Colored motion pictures of the Calgary stampede and the departure of Canadian troops for England were shown through the courtesy of the B.C. Government Travel Bureau.

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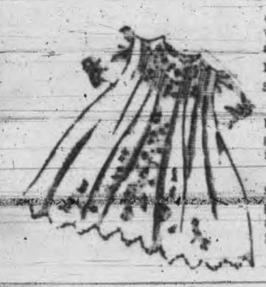

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SOMENOS—One of Canada's most important contributions to Britain and France during the war will be a constant supply of first quality food products, Alan Chambers, Liberal candidate in Nanaimo riding, said in an address here Friday night.

"I sincerely believe that none are more eager to play their part in this program than the farmers of the Pacific coast," he said.

The candidate said the coast farmers would need assistance from the Agricultural Supplies Committee and the War Supply Board and Wartime Prices Board in the regulation of their production to meet the war needs.

One of their most pressing problems in raising livestock was to get feeder grain at a reasonable price. The present levels were too high for farmers to produce the goods to conform with a fixed export price.

"If feeder grains are released for domestic use on the coast at the same level as the export price our farmers would be assisted to make the war effort of which I know they are capable," he said.

He pointed out farmers could not be expected to produce foods for war at a loss but felt sure the matter could be remedied by the Ottawa control boards.

Tonight Mr. Chambers will speak at Shawnigan Lake, supported by A. D. Macfarlane, K.C.

Nancy Ferguson Is Adjudicator

Miss Nancy Ferguson of Victoria has been chosen to adjudicate the folk dancing classes of the Upper Island Musical Festival, which will be held on April 19 and 20.

Miss Ferguson is the supervisor of folk dancing for the Victoria city schools, and on previous occasions has adjudicated at the Nanaimo festival.

Two new competitions, drama and duologue, are included in this year's syllabus.

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GRANTHAM ASKS FOR PEACE AIMS

CHEMAINUS — If the Allies have a plan for restoring world prosperity they should state it now," declared Ronald Grantham, C.C.F. candidate in Nanaimo riding, speaking here Thursday night.

In this he said, he agreed with the distinguished economist, Sir George Paish.

"All peoples, including the Germans, would be glad to hear it," he continued. "We ought to know clearly what the peace aims are. The matter is discussed freely in Britain but our people, because of repressive laws, are afraid to discuss it.

"The dominant French view seems to be that Germany must be crushed, broken up, and held down forever. Is that our aim?"

He claimed that economic democracy was the only way the Allies could provide a solution for international troubles.

Mrs. Laura Jamieson, M.P.P., accused Alan Chambers, Liberal candidate, with playing cheap politics because he had criticized Mr. Grantham's failure to appear at the Nanaimo embargo meeting. She said both of the candidates had spoken for the embargo.

Mrs. Jamieson argued that war was inevitable under capitalism because each nation fought for markets. The Empire trade agreements, she said, had caused other nations to seek empires and wars resulted.

T. H. Toynbee was chairman.

WOOD, BURKE WIN

CORAL GABLES, Fla. (AP)—Craig Wood and Billy Burke, who gave par a 38-stroke drubbing through 134 holes, won the $5,000 international four-ball golf tournament Saturday with a 3 and 2 victory over Dick Metz and Ky Laffoon.

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PHILATELIC CLUB

The Greater Victoria Junior Philatelic Society met Friday at Terry's, with S. A. Digby, the president, in the chair. Miss Gore Lim was appointed purchasing agent to obtain mint stamps from various philatelic departments for the members of the club. Arthur Shelwin conducted an interesting and humorous junior auction, while F. Dyment managed the auction for the more advanced buyers.

A competition on Canadian stamps, under F. Dyment, was held, it being a preliminary to the big competition in April, for which a valuable prize will be awarded the winner. Four new members were accepted.

W. J. Davey and J. N. Anderson addressed the collectors, showing parts of their collections.

LANGFORD TEA

The novel idea of paying what you wish will be the feature at the Irish fair stall at the Shamrock tea to be held on Thursday, at the home of Mrs. W. Alsdorf, 676 Island Highway. The tea is under the auspices of St. Matthew's Guild.

The work stall will be equipped with plain and fancy work and many Irish souvenirs will be on view on the Erin exhibition table.

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Daughter of Pioneer Family Wed at Cathedral

Miss 'Bunty' Maynard Bride Saturday of Mr. Arthur R. Roberts

Standard baskets of plum blossom, tulips and iris lent a springlike setting for the pretty wedding held in Christ Church Cathedral on Saturday evening at 8.30 between Alberta Ruth (Bunty), elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Maynard, 1449 Fort Street, and member of one of Victoria's pioneer families, and Mr. Arthur Ridings Roberts, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Roberts, Garbally Road.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon Robert Connell, who officiated at the wedding of the bride's parents, and Mr. Stanley Bulley, Cathedral organist, played the wedding music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was a radiant picture in her lovely wedding gown of white mousseline with an all-over design in chenille velvet thread. It was fashioned in floor-length on simple lines, with a high neckline, and long sleeves fitted over the hands with a point. Her veil of filmy bridal illusion fell from a cap of orange blossoms and formed a train, and in place of the conventional bouquet she carried an ivory prayer book showered in lily of the valley.

GOLD AND GREEN

Miss Edythe Callister was maid of honour in a frock of gold velvet with a long, full skirt attached to a tight bodice with long pointed sleeves. Her hat of matching velvet was trimmed with a brown ostrich plume, and she also wore brown satin sandals and carried a bouquet of snapdragons, iris and roses. The junior attendant was the bride's sister, Elaine Maynard, in a charming frock of apple-green velvet, with a round neck, short, puff sleeves, and a long skirt with padded fullness below the waist, and bows of salmon pink on each hip. Her off-the-face hat of green velvet had a pink plume, and she wore green mittens and sandals and carried a Colonial posy of pink carnations and Parma violets.

Mr. Donald Wheldon was best man, and Messrs. Thomas Harris, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, and William Haslam, his cousin, ushered the guests to the pews which were marked with large white tulle bows.

RECEPTION HELD

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The young couple received the felicitations of their many friends in the hall, standing before the fireplace which was banked with ferns and flanked with standard baskets of plum blossom and tulips and softly illumined with the light from six ivory tapers arranged on the mantelpiece.

Mrs. Maynard received in a smart floor-length gown of Queen's blue, with ruched net bodice, and a bustle bow at the back of the skirt, the jacket having three-quarter-length sleeves. With it she wore a model hat of pastel flowers with blue dotted veiling and a silver fox fur, and her corsage bouquet was of Talisman roses and bouvardia. Assisting her was Mrs. T. G. Harris, sister of the groom, wearing a black chiffon gown and a black and white hat, with a corsage bouquet of gardenias.

Supper was served from a table covered with a Chinese hand-embroidered cloth, centred with the three-tiered wedding cake, and lighted with ivory tapers in silver candelabra, and at each corner were heart-shaped containers filled with pink carnations and freesias. As the bride cut the cake, the toast was proposed by Mr. T. Cowden of Vancouver.

After a honeymoon on the mainland, for which the bride left in a green suit, and a beige coat with a wolf collar and brown accessories, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts will make their home on Victoria Avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Cowden, Mr. William McNeill and Miss Dorothy Brown, Vancouver, and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Callister, Duncan, were guests at the wedding.

Shawnigan Lake

Malahat Board of Trade held its monthly meeting in the S.L.A.A. Hall, with W. E. Fraser occupying the chair. As in former years the board has donated a silver cup to the angler who weighed in the heaviest trout species caught in the lake during the fishing season. Another trophy is to be presented for the present fishing season and anglers may weigh their match at the following official places in the vicinity of the lake, namely, Aitken and Fraser store, Cliffside store, Shawnigan Meat Market and at George Lowe's boathouse. The annual meeting will take place next month.

From all over the eastern seaboard and from as far away as Mexico, members of the Roosevelt family and many distinguished guests gathered at Louisville, Ky., to attend the wedding of Theodore Roosevelt, 3d, and Anne Babcock. The bride and groom are pictured after the ceremony. He is a son of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt Jr., and grandson of the late President of the United States. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Babcock of Louisville.

Social and Personal

Miss A. Sturrock of Oak Bay is visiting in California, the guest of Mrs. Volney P. Mooney at Rossmoyne, Glendale.

Mrs. Gunn of Vancouver spent the week-end in Victoria and was the guest of her niece, Mrs. Bigwood, Island Highway.

Mrs. W. F. Irwin of Vancouver, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ian Douglas, Mount Newton Cross-road, until after Easter.

Friends of Mrs. A. McCallum of Regina, who has been ill in the Jubilee Hospital, will be pleased to hear she has recovered sufficiently to be moved to the home of her father, Mr. W. B. Lanigan, the Uplands, for convalescence.

Of interest to many in Victoria is the announcement of the marriage of Mr. Archibald Boyd Buchanan of Vancouver and Miss Sarah Edith Buchanan, the ceremony taking place in Leonia, New Jersey, on March 4. For the last five years Mr. Buchanan has been resident in Colombia, South America.

Among Victorians returning from Port Angeles this morning after a week-end's skiing in the Olympics were Dr. E. H. W. Elkington, Messrs. Charles Heisterman, F. F. Pease, C. J. Randall, Robert Webb, Robert Jackson, Evan Boyd, J. R. Brown, the Misses Laura Magrath, Elizabeth Ruggles, Gloria Wilson, H. M. Pearce, Patricia Walsh, Nora Humphries, Victoria Ebbs-Canavan, Brenda Stonham, Hope Hodges, Marjorie Clark, Shirley Basten, Mary Cullum and Sheila Boyd. Among Victorians remaining at Deer Park Lodge for the remainder of the week to enjoy the winter sports are the Misses Jean and Katherine MacDonald and Mr. Brian Mills.

Over 600 guests attended the cabaret dance held at the Crystal ballroom of the Empress Hotel on Saturday evening as the climax of the Empress golf week. Mayor Andrew McGavin presented the prizes to the winners of the various handsome golf trophies and prizes, and cordially invited all of the visitors to return next year. Mrs. Chas. E. Wilson, assisted by the Misses Ann Murphy and Ann Whillington; Wynne Shaw, Myra Batchelor, Maud Renwick and Virginia Ryan, Messrs. Gordon Wilson and Leslie Holding repeated the "Hello, Hawaii" spectacle, and invited Hon. John Hart to join her in the canoe. She was presented by Mr. J. K. Hodges, the manager, with a beautiful silver rose bowl and a basket of spring flowers, in appreciation of her work as convener of the social committee. Sol and Wandya, Hawaiian dancers, and Welden Barr, tap dancer, were warmly applauded for their clever floor show.

On Saturday evening at their home on Rockland Avenue the Misses Dorothy and Ursula Hills were hostesses at an informal dance.

Mrs. G. J. Rowland of Vernon, with her infant daughter, Marcia, is visiting her parents, Hon. K. C. MacDonald and Mrs. MacDonald, Rockland Avenue.

Over 300 attended a dance on Friday evening in the auditorium of the Sir James Douglas School. The guests were welcomed in a brief address by Mr. W. Natchtrieb, who convened the dance for the P.T.A. The president, Mrs. Jamie Cameron, and social convener, Mrs. H. J. Cunningham, received the guests, among whom were members of the school board and their wives. The auditorium was very attractively decorated with a variety of spring flowers, this being the work of Mrs. W. Natchtrieb and Mrs. Emerson-Smith. Refreshments were served by the social committee.

Mrs. H. W. Curtis, Camosun Street, was "surprised" by the members of the S.B. Club on Friday afternoon on the occasion of her birthday. On behalf of the assembled guests she was presented with dainty cups, saucers and plates in the "Blossom Time" pattern tea service, and also received the club's birthday souvenir cup and saucer and other individual gifts, and a fragrant corsage bouquet of violets. The rooms were decorated with spring flowers, and a birthday cake, with lighted candles, centred the tea table and was cut by the honored guest. Several contests caused much amusement, and were won by Mrs. K. R. Waterman, Mrs. R. Sams and Mrs. C. Harris. Other guests invited included: Mrs. T. Campbell, Mrs. S. R. Bailey, Mrs. D. W. Dopp, Mrs. G. Cooper, Mrs. T. Chapman, Mrs. M. Fletcher, Mrs. C. McCagne and the Misses Thelma Dopp, Margaret Isbister and Flossie Driver.

In honor of Miss Kathleen Dobbie Mrs. G. Ford was hostess at a miscellaneous shower at her home, 1226 North Park Street, recently. On her arrival the bride-to-be was presented with a corsage of pink carnations and the mothers of the future bride and groom received corsage bouquets of violets. Green and white streamers attached to a large white bell over the light led to the many gifts which were concealed in and around a large green St. Patrick's hat which topped a green and white decorated box. The table was centred with daffodils in a silver basket. Games were won by Mrs. Paterson Sr. and Mrs. T. Dibb, Mrs G Ford., Mrs. Spaven, Mrs. MacBride and Mrs. Cowan entertained the guests with songs. Assisting in serving tea were Mrs. G. Ford, Mrs. A. L. Dobbie, Mrs. A. MacMillan Jr. and Mrs. J. Jones. Others invited were: Mesdames J. Manson, G. A. Knight, Walsh, R. Eaton, A. MacMillan Sr., J. Holness, Sargent, Locke, Paterson Jr., F. Durick, Earl, S. Petch, J. Cowan, E. Lefley, L. Evan, J. Best, A. E. Haines, D. Caird, J. Ford, Minnis and the Misses Louise Eaton, Marjorie Caird, Gladys Dibb and Kathleen Dobbie.

Yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Murray, Richardson Street, Miss "Billie" Murray was hostess at a tea party arranged for the Misses Jeanne Salmon and Rella Smith, both of Calgary, who are visiting here. On their arrival the guests of honor were presented with corsage bouquets. Tea was served from a table centred by a lovely combination of iris, pink tulips and narcissi, Presiding over the table were the Misses Sylvia Petch and Doreen McKean, who were assisted in serving by the Misses Jean Marsh, Daphne Murray and Brenda Woodman. Those invited included Mrs. Van Druten and the Misses Mary McKeachie, Jean Marsh, Mildred Smellie, Frances Cullin, Helen Peaker, Muriel Hawks, Sylvia Petch, Grace Stuart, Ruby-Mae Brown, Connie Sullivan, Pamela Jones, Evelyn Taylor, Pat Crawford, Phyllis Dodsworth, Marjorie Deif, Berta Robertson, Martha Armstrong, Peggy Whyte, Mary Whyte, Peggy Richards, Irene Murray, Mildred Erwin, Doreen Fricker, Doreen McKean, Frankie Alexandor, Iris Dickson, Iris Noel, Margaret Hamphries, Sheila McAllister, Daphne Murray and Brenda Woodman.

Musical Art Groups Enjoy Programs

"An Evening With the Northern Composers" was the theme of the monthly concert enjoyed by the intermediate group of the Musical Art Society at the Truth Centre Hall on Saturday evening. Mrs. R. D. McCaw and Miss Beatrice Griffin of the parent society convened the program, which was as follows:

Piano duet, "Morning Mood" (Grieg), Sheila Macarthur and Diana James; piano solo, "Rustle of Spring" (Sinding), Netta Hunter; vocal solo, "Carmina" (Wilson), Holly Greer, accompanied by Fioretta Lazzarin; piano solo, "Romance in D. Flat" (Sibelius), Marie Hemmingsen; vocal solo, "When I Was Seventeen" (Lilizebjorn), "Last Night the Nightingale Woke Me," Ada Rose Burt, accompanied by self; piano duet, "Norwegian Bridal Procession" (Grieg), Phyllis and Vivien Fox; piano solo, "Valse Triste" (Sibelius), Mary Carman; piano solo, "March of the Dwarfs" (Grieg), Fioretta Lazzarin; monologue, by Marie Cochrane.

With Joy Berman convening the interesting program, the juvenile branch of the Musical Arts Society held its monthly meeting in the same hall earlier in the afternoon. The president, John Beckwith, was in the chair, and Mrs. Gordon A. McCurdy gave a short talk.

Miss Denise Mara, the guest artist, played two pianoforte solos, and an amusing marionette demonstration was given by Gladys Baxter and Trudie McGill. Other items included: Piano solos by Ruth Gray, Eric Yorn, Bill Graham, John Beckwith, Michael McCahill; violin solo, Edith McGill.

At the close, refreshments were served under the convenership of Ruth Gray.

Firemen's Ball Plans Proceed

Members of the City Fire Department these days are busy preparing a gala evening for their guests who attend the annual departmental ball which will be held April 5 at the Empress Hotel.

Advance ticket sales are now under way and already members of the committee report there is a demand for them.

As in other years Al. Prescott will conduct an augmented orchestra of 14 pieces to supply music for the function. Mayor McGavin and Mrs. McGavin, with the aldermanic board and their wives will attend, along with other provincial and civic dignitaries.

The Craigflower W.I. met on Friday at the home of Mrs. Clair with Mrs. Rines in the chair. A minute's silence was observed in memory of Lord Tweedsmuir and Edna Scott. Mrs. Surrey gave a very interesting book review on "Waste Heritage," by Irene Baird. Mrs. Clair will give the book review next month. A social committee consisting of Mrs. L. Colton, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Keiser was appointed. A quiz program was enjoyed, with Mrs. Albany having the honor of answering the most questions. A St. Patrick's tea and card party was arranged for Wednesday, March 13, at the home of Mrs. Colton, Stewart Avenue. The tea hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Pilgrim, Mrs. Philbrook, Mrs. Rines and Mrs. Pearson.

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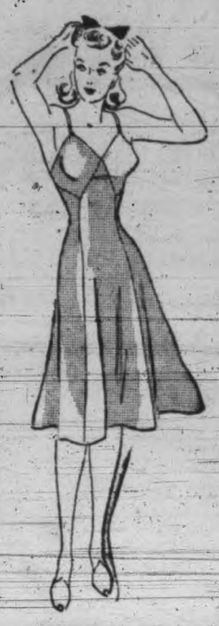

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Engagements

ARMITT—WRAY

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wray, 3737 Kingsway, Burnaby, announce the engagement of their third daughter, Alma Beatrice, to Mr. Frank Ernest Armitt of Victoria, son of Mrs. S. W. Heybourne, 3531 Newton Street, Burnaby, and the late Ernest Armitt of Manchester, England. The marriage will take place at the Church of the Four square Gospel, March 27, at 8 p.m.

LAUNDY—ROBSON

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Uphill Robson, Windsor Road, North Vancouver, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Irene Primrose, to Mr. Edward James Tylden Laundy, son of Rev. T. H. Laundy and Mrs. Laundy and Mrs. Laundy, Beach Laundy, Beach Drive, Oak Bay. The wedding will take place in June.

SERLE—SLUGGETT

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sluggett, Brentwood Bay, announce the engagement of their fourth daughter, Kathleen Ellen Hope, to the Rev. C. W. Serle, only son of Mrs. Serle and the late Canon S. E. B. Serle, Exeter, Devon, England. The wedding will take place shortly.

CORNISH—BARLOW

Mrs. C. K. Barlow, 908 Arundel Drive, announce the engagement of her younger daughter, Joan Christine, to Mr. Stephen Guy (Curly) Cornish, R.C.N.V.R., youngest son of Mrs. E. C. Cornish of Vancouver and the late Mr. A. E. Cornish. The wedding will take plate at St. Luke's Church on Saturday, April 6, at 8 p.m.

UNITED Y.P.S.

The monthly executive meeting of the United Church Y.P. Council was held last Wednesday in the Y.M.C.A. Reports of the various conveners were read and adopted. The arena project was endorsed by those present and Ken Priestly, president of Metropolitan United Y.P., was elected speaker to the Youth Council arena rally scheduled for March 18 in the A.O.F. Hall.

Conveners were asked to attend the two meetings on Sunday, March 10, in the Y.M.C.A., recreation commmittee to meet at 2.30 and the leadership training committee to meet at 3.45. Reference was made to the poster competition being held in connection with the Drama Festival of April 2 and 3. Further information available from Dorothy Warren at E 7936.

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MUSIC STUDENTS PRESENT RECITAL

Members of the Victoria Music Teachers' Association and their friends attended the March recital of the association at the Y.M.C.A. Friday evening, when a program of piano solos, duets, vocal solos, and violin selections was presented by junior and senior pupils of the members.

The program included piano solos by Sheila Roberts, Gerald Cruickshank, Netta Hunter, Phyllis Webb, Eric Gee, Joyce Hemsley, Ruby Joe, Marjorie Jones, Gregory Thomas, Ruth Gray, Nita Fox, Irene Tait, Donald Carmichael, Frances Doble and Viola Waine; piano and violin selections by Robin Thomas and Frances Doble, and vocal solos by Ernest McCoy. Miss Vera Lyster was accompanist for the vocal soloist.

Reginald Cox, president of the local Music Teachers' Association, was in the chair.

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Woman Senator Aids Refugees

OTTAWA (CP)—A woman with an abundance of maternal instinct—Senator Cairine Wilson—has won the title "mother of the refugees." Herself a mother of eight, she gazes fondly at her bairns' photos on her office desk as she speaks of distress in the dismantled lives of the refugees who seek admittance to Canada.

The tall, dark senator has grappled with each pitiful letter from a refugee mother, sister, husband or brother—cut off from the rest of the family by immigration barriers. She has interviewed government officials, appealed to organizations and worked day and night in the cause of the homeless from persecuted European countries.

Her voice grows soft as she speaks of these newcomers who are so "genuinely grateful for any kindness shown them."

"You should see how the families have adapted themselves to our country," the refugees' foster-mother said. A few days ago she visited a group in southern Ontario who are operating their own factories and living a homy life on land they own.

"The refugee seems to feel he is safe if he owns a bit of land," Mrs. Wilson said. "The first thing he does is buy an acre or two and then begin to make his own produce.

"And in the home it is simply amazing to watch the young mother. After her housework is done, she sits down to sew fine stitches on gloves and belts made in the factory."

The men aren't finished their day's labor when the factory whistle blows, the senator said. "They come home to do odd jobs in the fields or milk the cows before settling down for a quiet evening."

Canada needs these industrious people with new trades and a co-operative spirit from other lands, Mrs. Wilson insists.

The most serious item in her 10 years of political life in the red chamber, Senator Wilson spends every available minute encouraging the government to open its doors to the refugees.

Spring will see a few hundred refugee children accepted in Canadian homes, Mrs. Wilson hopes. The government is willing, the homes are ready and all that is needed is the money to bring them over here.

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Clubwomen's News

St. Paul's W.A. will meet tomorrow in the guild room at 2.30.

The C.C.F. Women's Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday at 2654 Fernwood Road at 2.30 p.m.

Burnside P.-T.A. study group will hold a meeting this evening at 8 at the home of Mrs. W. Mawle, 556 Beta Street.

The monthly meeting of the Victoria subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will be held in the Parish hall at 8 p.m. on Tuesday.

The W.A. to Pro Patria Branch Canadian Legion, will hold a St. Patrick's tea on Tuesday at 2.30 at the home of Mrs. Bert Ripley, 1145 Balmoral Road.

The monthly meeting of the V.O.N. will take place tomorrow at 10.30, in the board room of the Pemberton Building, where, till further notice, all monthly meetings will be held.

The adolescent study group of the Margaret Jenkins P.-T.A. will meet at the school on Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. The subject for study will be "Adolescence and Mental Development."

The Oaklands P.-T.A. study group will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert McInnes, 1554 Gladstone Avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 2.30. The subject will be "Habits and How to Deal With Them."

The W.A. to Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, held a successful card social on Friday night at the home of Mrs. A. Ball, 3222 Glasgow Avenue, Miss May Abbott being the joint hostess. The prize winners were Miss D. Dean, Mrs. E. Aris, Mrs. J. Taylor, Mr. W. D. Todd and Mr. Wm. Renfrew.

W.A. Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will meet tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the board room. The usual card social will be held Thursday evening at 8. Refreshments will be served. A concert has also been arranged for Tuesday, March 26, the program to be given by a sailors' concert party.

A special meeting of the Pioneer Group and old members of the Metropolitan W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Crimp, Vancouver Street. Mrs. E. O. Weston, the president, was in the chair. Past work was considered and a donation to the church bells was voted. The hostess, afterward served tea, assisted by Mrs. A. D. Whittier.

Mrs. A. W. Mark convened the Victoria Women's Institute bridge and Chinese checker tea held on Friday. Prizes were won by the following: Bridge, Mrs. Terry, Mrs. Upward taking second prize. Mrs. Merton won first for Chinese checkers and Mrs. Landsdell, second. The institute will hold the regular monthly meeting at headquarters, 635 Fort Street, Friday, March 15.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans' Post will hold a silver tea in the T.V.A. clubrooms, 812 Blanshard Street, on Thursday, March 14. This will be a shamrock tea and the usual attractions of that day will be in evidence. Tea will be served from 2.30 until 5.30, and in the evening cards will be played. The auxiliary are looking forward to the event and ask for the patronage of their sister auxiliaries and the public are cordially invited.

Oaklands P.-T.A. will hold their annual Saint Patrick's Tea and sale of home cooking in the school auditorium on Friday afternoon at 2.30. A short musical program will be offered. Anyone with articles to donate to the white elephant stall call Mrs. Blair, G 6503. In the evening card games will be held at 8, bridge, whist, 500, cribbage, Chinese checkers will be arranged. Players are requested to bring their own cards. Prizes will be provided and refreshments served.

An enjoyable afternoon tea is assured those attending the St. Patrick's tea on Thursday afternoon in the Memorial Hall gymnasium. Mr. Thomas Kelway and Mrs. Edith Mayell will be heard in a selection of Irish songs, Mrs. C. C. Warn accompanying; and Miss Dorothy Davies and Miss Elaine Ford, elocutionists, will give readings. The program will commence at 3 sharp. This tea is an annual event and is held under the auspices of Christ Church Cathedral senior evening branch of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Britannia Lodge No. 216, L.O.B.A., held its social meeting at the Orange Hall. Worthy Mistress Mrs. L. Fea presided, assisted by Deputy Mistress Mrs. C. S. Leask. Prizes for cards were won by Mrs. J. B. Paterson and Mr. L. Cockerall, first; Mrs. M. Caldwell and Mrs. G. C. Hunter, second; Mr. R. McVie and Mrs. C. Martin, consolation. Refreshments were served by the social committee. Mrs. R. McVie offered her home at 922 Lyall Street for a sewing bee tomorrow afternoon for members and friends.

The Servimus group of Metropolitan Church met at the home of Mrs. H. Campbell, Ryan Street, the president, Mrs. A. H. Adams, being in the chair. Mrs. C. Murphy gave a message on "Communion." It was decided that the afghan made by the members be presented to the newly-formed Three Service Unit Canteen. Short talks on different countries proved very interesting, those taking part being Mrs. R. N. E. Harris, Mrs. E. B. Prowd, Mrs. J. G. Jones, Mrs. T. Hammond, Mrs. J. O. Welch and Mrs. B. C. Bracewell. Refreshments were served by the hostess and assisting hostess, Mr. T. Hammond. Mr. H. O. English presided at the tea table. The next meeting will be held in the evening on April 12, at the home of Mrs. F. Kermode, Oliver Street.

The Native Daughters of B.C. Post No. 3 were hostesses at a silver tea held at the Y.W.C.A. Friday. Among the societies represented were the B Nai Brith Ladies' Auxiliary, Royal Oak Women's Institute, and Mrs. M. F. Gray, a visiting member of the Vancouver Post. In the absence of the chief factor, Miss M. Creeck, past chief factor, Mrs. F. C. Webb welcomed the guests. The grand factor, Miss Ettie Neeland, and Past Grand Factor Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, poured tea from a table arrayed with a white lace cloth, white candles in silver holders and a huge bowl of daffodils. Little Misses Lorraine Stocker, Sheila Beckwith and Patsy Sparks, pupils of the Russian Ballet School, charmed the guests with a novelty tap dance, "The Fairy and the Pixie," and a gypsy dance.

The Canadian Daughters' League, Assembly No. 5, met recently in the Shrine Hall, Mrs. C. Porteous presiding. Mrs. H. S. Hewitt gave a report of the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women. It was decided to make a cash donation to the Three Services Auxiliary fund, which is being used to furnish the dry canteen to be opened shortly by the Salvation Army in the Duck Block. Mrs. W. E. Akenhead and Mrs. C. E. Stewart were appointed to work in conjunction with the Local Council of Women as canvassers when the drive for funds for the arena commences Tuesday. A silver tea at the home of Mrs. Akenhead, also a bingo party at which Mrs. Hewitt was hostess, both proved most successful, the proceeds being for the general funds of the assembly. The members were asked to note that the date of the next meeting has been changed to Monday, March 18. This meeting will be in charge of the drama group, and refreshments will be served.

Toronto Music Exam Results

Following is a list of successful candidates in examinations held recently by the Toronto Conservatory of Music in Victoria. The names are arranged in order of merit:

Theory, grade 5, harmony, form—Pass, Nita Fox. Harmony—honors, Gloria M. Wilson; pass, Cecile King; Mary H. Orme. Counterpoint—First class honors, Catherine P. MacKinnon; honors, Phyllis Maddock. History—First class honors, E. Marjorie Lea; Winnifred Elliott.

Grade 4, harmony, counterpoint—Honors, E. Marjorie Lea. Counterpoint—first class honors, Alexandra A. R. McGavin; honors, Winnifred Elliott.

Grade 2—First class honors, Janet Dobbs.

Grade 1—First class honors, James E. Scott, Dorothy E. Drury, Eric A. Gee and Gladys M. Baxter.

Modern Etiquette

1. When asked to pass a dish at the table, should you help yourself first?
2. It it correct to leave a spoon in a sherbet glass when one has finished with a dessert?
3. If a minister is present at a family meal, should be be asked to say grace, though grace before meals is not customary in the household?
4. Where are the napkins usually placed when a table is set for a formal dinner?

What would you do if—

A servant does something the wrong way when there are guests. Would you—

(a) Correct her before the guests?

(b) Wait until you can see her alone to speak to her about the matter?

ANSWERS

1. No.
2. No.
3. It is courteous.
4. On the service plates.

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Radio Programs

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Tonight

5

Variety Show—KOMO, KPO.
Bud Barton—KJR.
News—KGO.
Jack Owens—KNX.
At Sundown—CBR.
Frank Iacolucci—KOL.
Ranger's Cabin—CJOR.
Tom Mix—KJR, KGO at 5.15.
Dealer in Dreams—KIRO, KNX, KVI, 5.15.

5.30

Richard Crooks—KOMO, KPO.
Caprice—KJR, KGO.
With Troops in England—CBR.
Jack Armstrong—KOL.
News—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 5.45.
Elmer Davis—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 5.55.
Orphan Annie—KOL at 5.45.

6

Doctor I.Q.—KOMO, KPO.
Green Hornet—KGO.
Radio Theatre—KIRO, KNX, KVI, CBR.
Adventures—KOL.
Tillicum Club—CJOR.
Nelson's Orchestra—KOL at 6.15.
Sports News—CJOR at 6.15.

6.30

Alec Templeton—KOMO, KPO.
News—KJR, KOL.
I. M. Ornburn of A.F. of L.—KGO.
Glenn Darwin—KGO at 6.45.
Easy Aces—CJOR at 6.45.

7

Contented—KOMO, KPO.
Little Ol' Hollywood—KGO, CBR.
Lombardo's Orchestra—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Raymond Gram Swing—KOL.
News—CJOR.
Light Up—CJOR at 7.15.

7.30

Swing with Sammy Kaye—KOMO, KPO.
National Radio Forum—KJR, KGO.
Blondie—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Meet Mr. Prospector—CBR.
Lone Ranger—KOL.
Election Broadcast—CBR at 7.45.
Canada's Industries—CJOR at 7.45.

8

Fred Waring—KOMO, KPO.
Benny Walker—KGO.
Amos 'n' Andy—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
News—CBR, CJOR.
Love a Mystery—KOMO, KPO at 8.15.
Lum and Abner—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 8.15.
Star Dust—CBR at 8.15.
Vox Pop—CJOR at 8.15.

8.30

Mr. Wyde A. Wake—KOMO, KJR.
Model Minstrels—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Songs of Empire—CBR.
Crosby's Orchestra—KOL.
Conservative Party—CJOR.
Talk on Natural Resources—KPO at 8.45.
Fotin's Orchestra—KNX, KVI at 8.55.

9

Sherlock Holmes—KOMO, KPO.
True or False—KJR, KGO.
Tune Up Time—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Immortal Music—CBR.
News—KOL.
Liberal Party—CJOR.
Barbers of Beeville—KOL at 9.15.

9.30

Hawthorne House—KOMO, KPO.
Herbeck's Orchestra—KVI.
South American Cruise—CBR.
Foster's Orchestra—KGO, CBR at 9.45.
Camera Club—KNX at 9.45.
Fulton Lewis—KOL at 9.45.

10

News—KOMO, KPO, KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Youth in the Toils—KJR, KGO.
Sydney Kelland—CBR.
Hockey—CJOR.
Blue Moonlight—KOMO at 10.15.
Souvenirs—KGO at 10.15.
Levant's Orchestra—KNX, KVI at 10.20.

10.30

Music by Woodbury—KOMO, KPO.
In the Good Old Days—KJR, KGO, CBR.
Garber's Orchestra—KNX, KVI.
Hoagland's Orchestra—KOL.
News—CJOR.
Melody—CJOR at 10.45.

11

Ravazza's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
News—KJR, KGO, KNX, CBR.
Noble's Orchestra—KVI.
Walsh's Orchestra—KOL.
Hoot Mon—CJOR.
Paul Carson—KJR at 11.15.
With Troops in England—CBR at 11.15.

11.30

Paul Martin's Music—KOMO, KPO.
Strands' Orchestra—KVI.
Hawaiians—KOL.
Paul Carson—CBR at 11.45.

Tomorrow

7.30

News—KJR, KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Minutes—CBR.
Sam Hayes—KOMO, KPO at 7.45.
Novelettes—KJR at 7.45.
Devotions—CBR at 7.45.

8

Ensemble—KJR.
Financial Service—KGO.
News—CBR, CJOR.
Breakfast Club—KOL.
Gladys Cronkhite—KPO at 8.01.
Young Dr. Malone—KGO at 8.15.
Kings of Rhythm—KVI at 8.15.
Singers and Songs—CBR at 8.15.
Ranch Boys—CJOR at 8.15.

8.30

Against the Storm—KOMO, KPO.
Tuesday Revue—CBR.
Keep Fit to Music—KOL.
Radio Rascals—CJOR.
Guiding Light—KOMO, KPO at 8.45.
Rakov's Orchestra—KGO, CBR at 8.45.
My Children—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 8.45.
Buckeye Four—KOL at 8.45.

9

News—KJR, KGO, KOL.
Kate Smith Speaks—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Sweet Hour of Prayer—CBR.
Shut-ins—CJOR.
Dinning Sisters—KPO at 9.15.
On the Air—KGO at 9.15.
Girl Marries—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9.15.
George Griffin—CBR at 9.15.
Melodeers—CJOR at 9.15.

9.30

Our Spiritual Life—KOMO, KPO.
Farm and Home—KJR, KGO.
Helen Trent—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Radio School—CBR.
Ma Perkins—KOL.
Gospel Singer—CJOR.
Morning Matinee—KOMO, KPO at 9.45.
Gal Sunday—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9.45.
Carters of Elm Street—KOL at 9.45.
Kitty Keene—CJOR at 9.45.

10

Orchestra—KOMO.
The Goldbergs—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Happy Gang—CBR.
Crime Quiz—CJOR.
Ellen Randolph—KOMO, KPO at 10.15.
Chase Twins—KGO at 10.15.
Life Can Be Beautiful—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 10.15.
Kitchen—CJOR.

10.30

Kinny's Orchestra—KOMO.
News—KPO.
Spitalny's Orchestra—KGO.
Right to Happiness—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Favorite Waltzes—CBR.
Stars of Week—CJOR.
Dr. Kate—KOMO, KPO at 10.45.
Mary Lee Taylor—KIRO, KNX, KVI, 10.45.
Pleasantdale Folks—KOL at 10.45.
Peter McGregor—CJOR at 10.45.

11

Betty and Bob—KOMO, KPO.
Gallant American Women—KJR, KGO.
Big Sister—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Concert Orchestra—CBR.

Headliners Tonight

5.00—Variety Show — KOMO, KPO.
5.30—Richard Crooks — KOMO, KPO.
6.00—Radio Theatre — KIRO, KNX, KVI, CBR.
6.30—Alec Templeton — KOMO, KPO.
7.00—Contented —KOMO, KPO.
7.30—Swing with Kaye—KOMO, KPO.
7.30—Radio Forum—KJR, KGO.
7.30—Blondie — KIRO, KNX, KVI.
8.30—Model Minstrels — KIRO, KNX, KVI.
9.00—Sherlock Holmes—KOMO, KPO.
9.00—Tune Up Time — KIRO, KNX, KVI.

News

5.00—KGO; 5.45—KIRO, KNX, KVI; 5.55 — KIRO, KNX, KVI; 6.30 — KJR, KOL; 7.00 — CJOR; 8.00 — CBR, CJOR; 9.00 — KOL; 9.30—KJR; 10.00—KOMO, KPO, KIRO, KNX, KVI; 10.30—CJOR; 11.00—KJR, KGO, KNX, CBR.

Network Stations

KOMO (920), KPO (680), KFI (640)—National Red.
KJR (970), KGO (790)—National Blue.
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KOL (1270)—Mutual.
CBR (1100)—Canadian.
CJOR (600)—Independent.

Our Friendly Neighbors—KOL.
News—CJOR.
Grimm's Daughters—KOMO, KPO at 11.15.
Jenny's Stories—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 11.15.
Songs for You—CBR at 11.15.
John Duffy—KOL at 11.15.

11.30

Valiant Lady—KOMO, KPO.
Army Band Concert—KJR, CBR.
Life Begins—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Singin' Sam—CJOR.
Hymns of All Churches—KOMO, KPO, at 11.45.
News—KGO at 11.45.
My Son and I—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 11.45.

12

Mary Marlin—KOMO, KPO.
Orphans of Divorce—KJR, KGO.
Society Girl—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Music—CBR.
Ma Perkins—KOMO, KPO at 12.15.
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill—KJR, KGO at 12.15.
Fletcher Wiley—KIRO, KNX, KVI, 12.15.
Ballads—CJOR at 12.15.

12.30

Pepper Young—KOMO, KPO.
U.S. Dept. of Agriculture—KGO.
News—KIRO, KNX, KVI, CJOR.
Concert Hour—CBR.
Vic and Sade—KOMO, KPO at 12.45.
Symphony Concert—KJR at 12.45.
School of Air—KNX at 12.35.

1

Road of Life—KPO.
Club Matinee—KJR, KGO.
Kitty Kelly—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
News—CBR.
Stella Dallas—KOMO, KPO at 1.15.
Myrt and Marge—KIRO, KNX, KVI, 1.15.
War Weddings—CBR at 1.15.

1.30

Mr. Dinwiddie—KPO.
Hilltop House—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Club Matinee—CBR.
McFarland Twins—KOL.
Sue's Notebook—CJOR.
Blue Plate Special—KOMO, KPO at 1.45.
Stepmother—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 1.45.
BBC News—CBR at 1.45.
Book a Week—KOL at 1.45.

2

Girl Alone—KOMO, KPO.
Orchestra—KJR.
Judy Deane—KGO.
Kathleen Norris—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Midstream—KOMO, KPO at 2.15.
Irene Wicker—KJR, KGO at 2.15.
Console Overtones—KIRO, KNX at 2.15.
Melody Lane—CBR at 2.15.

2.30

Kitty Keene—KPO.
Frank and Archie—KJR, KGO.
Happened in Hollywood—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Yours for a Song—CBR.
Johnson Family—KOL.
O'Neills—KOMO, KPO at 2.45.
Betty Barrett—KJR at 2.45.
Affairs of Anthony—KJR, KGO at 2.45.
Scattergood Baines—KIRO, KNX, KVI, 2.45.
Stock Quots—CBR.

3

Rush Hughes—KOMO, KPO.
Washington Calling—KGO.
Lanny Ross—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
John Agnew—KOL.
Designed for Listening—CBR at 3.15.
McCune's Orchestra—KOL at 3.15.

3.30

Woman's Mag of Air—KOMO, KPO.
Yvette—KJR, KGO.
Joyce Jordan—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Steck's Orchestra—CBR.
Li'l Abner—KJR, KGO at 3.45.
World Today—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 3.45.
Salon Orchestra—CBR at 3.45.

4

Easy Aces—KOMO, KPO.
Paul Carson—KGO.
Moments of Melody—CBR.
Mr. Keen—KOMO, KPO at 4.15.
Mauriet's Orchestra—KJR, KGO at 4.15.
Haven of Rest—KOL at 4.15.

4.30

Magnolia Blossoms—KJR, CBR.
America Calling—KGO.
Introducing—KPO at 4.45.
How Fast Can Man Travel—CBR at 4.45.

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5.00—Monitor	7.00—With Stars
5.10—Serenade	7.15—Front Page
5.30—Birthdays	7.30—Dance
6.00—Liberal Assn.	7.45—Election
6.15—Birthdays	8.00—Rhythm Rascals
6.30—News	8.30—Election
6.45—Slants	9.00—Legion Band

TOMORROW

7.00—Yawn Patrol	12.00—Dance
8.15—News	12.30—News
8.30—Chronometer	12.45—Varieties
9.00—Classics	1.25—Book Man
9.30—Finances	1.30—Memory
9.45—Dance	2.00—Concert
10.00—Monitor	3.00—Rhythm
10.10—Melody	3.30—Old Time
10.30—Featurettes	4.00—Friendly Hour
11.00—Symphony	

LANGFORD

Langford subdivision of the Catholic Women's League met at the home of Mrs. W. R. Scaife last Thursday evening. Arrangements were made for a card party to be held in the Canadian Legion Hall April 9.

A general meeting of the Esquimalt Dramatic Club will be held at the home of Mrs. B. Deane Freeman, Atkins Road, March 12, at 8.

Candidates from Langford and Colwood will be presented by Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh for confirmation rites by the Lord Bishop of the Diocese on March 15 at 8 in St. John's Church, Colwood.

CANADIAN UNITY REAL ACHIEVEMENT

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—"Under the leadership of Mackenzie King and his chief lieutenant, Ernest Lapointe, we have a greater unity of purpose than has existed in Canada for many years," declared Alan Chambers, Liberal candidate, in an address in S.L.A.A. Hall, Saturday night.

The speaker contrasted the present unity of feeling with the discord between the French and English-speaking races of Canada in the last war.

"Think deeply before you vote in such a way as to disrupt Canada's two racial forces," he said.

The candidate compared Dr. Manion's method of criticizing to get votes with the stand of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the last war when he offered no criticism so long as the country was endangered.

Mr. Chambers said the C.C.F., from their speeches, apparently loved peace more than they loved democracy.

The supporting speaker for Mr. Chambers was A. D. Macfarlane, K.C. Chairman was J. P. Rodger.

TWILIGHT RECITAL

A large audience yesterday afternoon enjoyed the twilight recital at the First Baptist Church by the choir of the First United Church, under the conductorship of W. C. Fyfe, with George H. Peaker at the organ.

The choir sang beautifully, with excellent tone blend and contrast. Incidental solos were taken by Mrs. W. H. Wilson, James Petrie and J. M. Thomas, Mrs. C. Goodwin, J. Bell, J. Pogson, Mrs. R. Nash and Miss M. Mitchell.

One of the outstanding numbers was the Inflammatus from "Stabat Mater."

Next Sunday Professor J. B. Hoffman's choir will render the "Seven Last Words of Christ," by Dubois.

Lodge Celebrates 19th Birthday at Banquet

Victoria Chapter No. 25, Women of the Moose, met at the Douglas Hotel to celebrate their 19th birthday with a banquet. Senior Regent M. Carter welcomed the members and guests, including Brother W. Kettle, president of the Northwest Moose Association; Bro. R. Hoare, governor of the Loyal Order of Moose, and Bro. H. Duffield, representing the Legion of the Moose.

The tables were decorated in lodge colors. Daffodils centred the tables and favors were provided for each member. Toasts were proposed, to the King by Senior Regent M. Carter, and to Victoria Lodge, No. 25 W.O.M., by Graduate Regent Huckin. Past-graduate Regent Pearse proposed a toast to Mooseheart, responded to by Bro. R. Hoare; Coworker Burke, to Moosehaven, responded to by Bro. H. Duffield. Bro. Kettle gave an address on the humanitarian work being done by the Moose and Women's Chapters in the northwest.

An amusing entertainment included recitations by Mrs. Chapple and songs by Mr. Stanley Honeychurch and John McAllister, accompanied by Miss Chrissie Honeychurch. Mrs. Ada Hatcher accompanied the community singing. A guessing contest and games were enjoyed. The committee were Mrs. E. Clark, Mrs. Van Alphen and Miss D. Guelpa.

The chapter will meet tonight, members to bring refreshments; officers and escorts to practice for initiations.

Sooke Y. P. Society

SOOKE—An amateur program sponsored by the Young People's Society of Sooke provided a capacity crowd with delightful entertainment Friday evening. Harry Helgesen as "Major Bowes," kept the crowd in a gay mood.

Contestants came from Metchosin, William Head, Shirley, Cowichan Lake and Sooke. The applause of the audience was clocked at the end of each item and later made available to the three judges who rendered the final decision.

In the senior division the first prize went to Richard Arden and Jack Blight, who gave a mouth-organ and guitar rendition of "My Little Grey-haired Mother" and "The Old Dutch Mill." Second prize went to Mr. Hadjkiss of Sooke with a humorous monologue, and third to the Metchosin trio of Miss Jean Reynolds, violin; Mr. Haddin, 'cello, and Miss Haddin, piano.

The first prize in the junior division went to Miss Lois Moore, a talented little dancer from Cowichan Lake. Other prize winners were Ronald and Russel Clark, accordion duetists from Shirley, and Miss Elaine Shields, soloist, of Sooke. Mrs. Syrett of Sooke, and Miss Joyce Unwin of Victoria contributed to the program but did not wish to be included in the competition.

At the end of the program Cpl. Emmerton and his "Otter Point Seven," made the hall ring with music. Dancing continued well into the morning.

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Happy Valley

Dr. Henrietta Anderson was the guest speaker at the monthly meeting of the Happy Valley Parent-Teacher Association Thursday evening, her subject being "Life and Books of John Buchan."

The secretary, Mrs. A. Strathearn, presented a satisfactory financial report of the recent entertainment and also stated that 21 new books had been added to the school library.

Margaret Morrow, on behalf of the pupils of the school, thanked the association for the recent gift of a radio, describing the educational program now being enjoyed by the pupils.

The Canadian Forestry Association will present talking pictures on forestry and game subjects in the school Tuesday, March 12, at 8.

SHORT WAVE CLUB

The Victoria Short Wave Club, which is now in its 11th year, will celebrate with its 10th annual banquet at Spencer's next Saturday evening, it was announced at a meeting this week-end.

J. Hepburn was elected acting-treasurer, and W. F. Wilson was appointed auditor.

An application for membership in the club was received from Norman Loudoun.

As the next scheduled meeting falls on Good Friday, the meeting night has been advanced to March 29, at which time a card party will be held.

Irish Players to Present Farce

Funny as the previous productions of the Irish Players have been, with such outstanding comedy successes as "Applesauce" and "The Patsy," it is fully expected that the 1940 production "Second Childhood," a farce in three acts, will far surpass all others in laugh-producing qualities when it is presented at the Empire Theatre, Saturday, March 16.

The finest comedy casts in the city have been selected, and the high standard set in the previous years will be fully maintained both in settings, stage interpretation, and direction. The feminine lead will be played by Noel Cusack, a very gifted and talented player. Mabel Ridley's fine sense of comedy is unexcelled and she has been perfectly cast. Other clever characterizations will be given by Marquerite Elliot, as a Spanish girl, and Muriel Thompson, who essays a comedy role quite out of the ordinary. Others in a strong cast will be Dennis Harris, H. Vaughan Barker, Norman Tyrrell, Douglas Flintoff, and James McGrath. Mr. McGrath will direct.

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THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 5 a.m. today—Pressure continues high southwest of Vancouver Island and appears low off the Queen Charlotte Islands. The weather has been fair and slightly colder over the interior of British Columbia while scattered showers have occurred on the coast. Snow flurries are reported in the prairie provinces.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, max. 46, min. 38; wind, 5 miles northwest; precip. .02; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, max. 50, min. 36; wind, calm; precip. .03; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, max. 50, min. 31; wind, 2 miles W.; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, max. 58, min. 43; wind, 5 miles N.E.; clear.

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	46	38
Nanaimo	46	33
Vancouver	50	36
Prince Rupert	50	31
Dawson	28	13
Seattle	54	39
Portland	55	40
San Francisco	58	43
Kamloops	48	26
Prince George	44	17
Penticton	44	26
Vernon	46	24
Nelson	44	
Grand Forks	45	25
Kaslo	42	25
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Prince Albert	24	14
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Winnipeg	23	21
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Victoria Daily Times

Second Section — Monday, March 11, 1940 — SPORT

Empress Golf

Joan Fletcher, Cobb Champions

P. H. Cobb and Joan Fletcher, both members of the Uplands Club, are the new handicap champions of the Empress golf tournament. In finals played Saturday afternoon at the Colwood links Cobb defeated Jimmy Hogan, Jasper, Alta., 1 up over 36 holes and Miss Fletcher scored a 5 and 4 triumph over Miss Ena Short, Oak Bay, over the 18-hole distance.

Saturday's finals, played in brilliant sunshine, attracted good galleries and the spectators were treated to some smart shot-making.

Opening the afternoon round with a two-hole lead, Cobb held command of the match all the way, never being down. He received five strokes each round. The 19th hole was halved in fives. At the 20th both were on the green in two, but Cobb failed to hit his approach putt to lose the hole and be only 1 up. At the dog-leg 21-st Hogan hit a poor shot off the tee and pushed his second into the trees at the right. Cobb also got into trouble and at the finish had to putt out a half stymie to get a half. At the short 22nd Hogan was dead to the pin, while Cobb was off, to the left. The Jasper youngster got his par three to a four for Cobb and the match was all square. The next hole was halved with Cobb having the advantage of a stroke. At the 25th Cobb sank a beautiful 18-foot putt for a birdie two and the hole to become 1 up again. The pair continued their ding-dong battle with Cobb reaching the 27th hole 2 up.

On the 28th Hogan ran into trouble, hooking his drive into the woods to finally score a six and go 3 down. The next was halved in threes. The finalists battled back and forth with Cobb arriving at the 34th tee 3 down. The visitor thrilled the gallery by winning the next two holes to carry the match to the final green, where a pair of fours left Cobb the winner, 1 up.

WOMEN'S FINAL

Building up a five-hole lead on the first nine, Miss Fletcher made no mistake in her final against Miss Short, the tournament medalist. It marked the second handicap triumph for the Uplands player in three years. Although she gave away three strokes on the first three holes, Miss Fletcher won five successive holes to take an advantage her opponent could never hurdle.

After reaching the turn with such a big lead, Miss Fletcher halved the 10th and lost the 11th when she ran into trouble and picked up. The 12th was halved as was the 13th. The maten ended on the 14th carpet with Miss Fletcher playing the hole perfect for her par five against Miss Short's seven.

Flight results follow:

First Flight

Mrs. Gus Lyons, Vancouver, defeated Mrs. W. S. Smith, 2 up.

Second Flight

Mrs. Art Dowell defeated Mrs. W. P. Bowden at 19th.

Third Flight

Mrs. A. C. Stickley defeated Miss Mary Mackenzie-Grieve, 2 and 1.

UPLANDS GOLF

In the competition to find an original holder of the club button, held at the Uplands Golf Club yesterday, Russell Ard had the lowest net score, 71, to take possession of the award. He may be challenged by any member of the club who complies with the regulations which govern the competition.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

EVEN JOE McCARTHY has a problem as the baseball clubs start another training season. But so efficient is the New York Yankee organization that its manager has to look a year ahead for the slightest trace of a headache, if, indeed it is possible to develop one from an over-supply of talent.

Poor Joe is practically lying awake nights wondering what to do with Frank Crosetti in 1941, when Gerald Priddy is coming up from Kansas City to play second base and force Joe Gordon to the opposite side of the sack.

Sam Breadon has announced the St. Louis Cardinals are out to win the National League pennant this trip, which means the Cincinnati Reds, who staggered to the flag in 1939, will have their hands full.

This will be especially true if St. Louis comes up with a short-stop or second baseman of worth to play alongside of Jimmy Brown.

Bill McKechnie must build his Big Two—Bucky Walters and Paul Derringer—into a Big Four to once more head off Mize, Medwick, Slaughter and other robust blokes in red blazers.

Johnny Vander Meer could contribute greatly to the slinging shortage, and Vince DiMaggio will help in the outfield if he gets away from going after his own big league record for total strikeouts.

With any kind of pitching from someone besides Bob Grove last season, the Boston Red Sox easily might have made things tough for the Yankees.

Cronin showed his faith in bespectacled Dominic DiMaggio by peddling Joe Vosmik. There is no question in regard to the youngest DiMaggio's flychasing and ability to do everything except hit big-time pitching.

With their second basing puzzle apparently solved by Lou Boudreau and Oscar Grimes, Cleveland must develop pitching help for the amazing Feller.

A satisfactory and satisfied Hank Greenberg in left field and pitching would make Detroit dangerous.

Jimmy Dykes has to teach Taft Wright to catch a fly and get Julius Solters back in the batting swing he lost in 1938.

Washington possesses just one pitcher of real worth—Emil Leonard—which is why the Nationa's will be fortunate to improve their sixth-place finishing position of 1939.

The Philadelphia Athletics paid Benny McCoy $40,000 to sign and gave the second baseman a two-year contract at $10,000, but still have so many shortcomings that it is easy to understand why Connie Mack skips this season and next and talks of 1942.

The St. Louis Browns will be better for the very good reason that they couldn't be any worse.

The New York Giants landed an accomplished second baseman in Mickey Witek of Newark, but a club having to fill three infield positions can't be expected to go any great distance, especially when it is falling apart at the seams elsewhere.

Gabby Hartnett will be lucky to finish the season as manager of the Chicago Cubs, which is your answer on the National League side of the Chicago picture.

The Pittsburgh Pirates, who took advantage of good-natured Pie Traynor, are due for a rude awakening under fiery Frank Firsch.

The Boston Bees cracked up with Eddie Miller's leg in 1939. With the stand-up-and-cheer short-stop going all the way the Boston array will be troublesome with its tight defence, but it lacks a wallop.

Increased weight about the hips has slowed up Joe Vosmik and causes him to hit into an alarming number of double plays, but the Cleveland Bohemian may be the long-range right-hand hitter Brooklyn needed in 1939.

Philadelphia is training at Miami Beach, but even Miami Beach can't hurt the Phillies.

PRAIRIE HOCKEY

Luscar Indians 1, 3, Canmore Briquetteers 0, 3.

Kenora Jr. 3, Brandon Jr. 2.

Treherne Int. 10, Melita Int. 3.

E.A.C. Juniors 5, Calgary Hustlers 0.

Calgary Stampeders 5, 4, 4, Edmonton Flyers 2, 4, 2.

Vernon Int. 5, New Westminster 2.

Moose Jaw Millers 4, 2, 5, Saskatoon Quakers 1, 3, 2.

Dominoes Win In Grid Game

Local grid followers saw two action-packed junior games at Heywood Avenue Park Saturday with Dominoes emerging victorious over a scrappy Fairfield Blue Devils team, 16 to 6, in league play, and Painters Oak Bay Bruins taking V.H.S. Alumni into camp, 3 to 0, in an exhibition fixture.

The Bruins-Alumni game was a default on the part of the former squad. They were unable to field a team, but instead of not playing a game, they added three seniors to the pack and gave the league-leading Alumni their first beating.

If the Blue Devils line could have given their plunging back, Don Sturrock, a little more support than it did, their game with Dominoes might have been a different story. The rangy, loose jointed Sturrock, looked good all afternoon and often picked up big gains with little or no blocking on the part of his teammates. The boy also fired some nice passes.

Dominoes' line on the other hand opened up big holes and blocked and tackled well.

Wally Williams, Ken Campbell and Ernie Dyer carried the ball on the Dominoes' three touchdowns, which came in the first, second and third quarters. Roy Miller converted one. The other two attempts were blocked.

Sturrock blasted his way through the Dominoes' line for the Blue Devils' only score in the final quarter. Bob Wallace kicked the extra point.

Art McKim, Dominoes plunging back, broke his collar bone just before half time, and Jack Bing, centre man, was put out of commission in the third period. He went back into the game in the closing minutes.

Harry Barber and Bill Yardley, Revellers' players—Barber is on the coaching staff of the Bruins—and Jack Hayes, experienced senior, were the three other additions to the Oay Bay team. It was Barber's playing that brought the Bruins through to victory. He turned in a grand defensive game in the centre half spot and drop-kicked the ball over the bar in the final quarter for the only score of the game.

McLaughlan and McKeever refereed.

VICTORIA HIGH IN HOCKEY LEAD

Victoria High School, battling Oak Bay High in the second of a three-game total point series for the May Tully girls' grass hockey trophy, came through with a brilliant 5 to 1 victory on the Fernwood grounds last week. The first game played at Oak Bay ended in a 1 to 1 deadlock.

The game opened slow, neither team having any great advantage. As time progressed, however, the teams opened out and play became much faster. Opening with a strong offensive in the second half Victoria High was never endangered. They continued to press and countered all of their five goals to their opponents one.

Goal getters for Victoria were Peggy Laughlin 2, Helen Ferguson, Victoria Lyle and Margaret Sedgely, and for Oak Bay, Molly McCallum.

The third and final game of the series will be played Friday.

Red Sox Hoping

Need Great Youngster

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP)—If the extraordinary success of the Boston Red Sox in producing great young players the last two seasons will hold good only one more time, then Tom Yawkey's outfit might give the New York Yankees a really close race this year.

Last season manager Joe Cronin came up with Ted Williams in right field and George Tabor on third, while Bobby Doerr was developing into a brilliant second baseman. Now he has a good, solid club that needs only one thing to make it a serious threat to the Yanks—pitching.

It is almost necessary for lightning to strike the Sox in their pitching department this year if it is going to do any good, for even next season might be too late. They could finish only a poor second last year with Jimmy Foxx powdering the ball for a .360 average and Cronin hitting .308. That can't go on much longer, for both Joe and Jimmy own up to 33 years.

CERTAIN TO FADE

Neither can they count on Lefty Grove to go on forever. The famous Mose won 15 last season, only a jump away from his 40th birthday. From here on he is almost certain to fade. So, the last of that group of super-stars who cost Yawkey a fortune are going to lose their great talent soon. Unless the pitching shows up this year, then Yawkey's dream will have been an idle one and the Yankees will be gone from sight.

Cronin has hopes. He sat on the bench here and pointed out a half-dozen tall, young pitchers romping around the grass. If one or two of them should make good, the Sox would have a great shot at the flag, Joe said. With their tremendous hitting the Sox don't necessarily need airtight hurling, he pointed out.

The team probably will have a more thunderous punch this year even than it did last, Joe said. He is sold on the last of the DiMaggios, Dominic, and is trying to decide only whether to play the youngster in left or centre field. Whichever it is, Roger Cramer will hold down the other post.

Dominic is a lot smaller than his famous brother, Joe, and undoubtedly packs less power, but he takes the same sure cut at the ball and is a faster runner.

MAYBE THE RACKET SPOILED HIS SLEEP—Bobby Riggs of Chicago, No. 1 ranking United States tennis player, stretches and yawns after a dressing-room nap at the U.S. indoor championships in New York. Riggs added the indoor crown to his outdoor title.

Four-time Champs

Bays Rugby Winners

The couple of hundred odd rugby followers who turned out at Macdonald Park Saturday afternoon were treated to one of the most torrid bits of oval ball warfare seen in local competition this season before Manager Bob McInnes' J.B.A.A. boys staggered off with a 9 to 8 triumph over a hard-fighting Oak Bay Wanderers unit.

This victory gave the oarsmen the Barnard Cup and the city championship for the fourth straight season. They will now represent Victoria in the B.C. cup championship campaign against the Vancouver club champs.

Saturday's game was hard fought from the first minute to the closing whistle. Both teams gave everything they had and the result was a nail-biting 70 minutes of keen action for the spectators' gathering. The old bitter rivalry that has existed between the clubs for years returned with full force. Feeling was as high as a kite and twice during the afternoon players collided in fistic encounters. The principals in these fights were Harry Barber (Wanderers) vs. Buzz Anderson; George Langdon (Bays) vs. Alec Anderson.

The four star performer in the game was Bill Thompson, big powerful Bay three-quarter. This good-natured chap accounted for six of his team's points, including the winning try.

It was a sweet game to win, but a really tough one to lose. Lack of regular practice did not seem to have greatly affected the Wanderers' game. They certainly put up a great fight in spite of the act they were shorthanded. Stan Davies was injured and taken out of play.

WANDERERS GET HOT

Wanderers did all their scoring in one splurge. By the time the early minutes of the second half had arrived the Bays had established a 6 to 0 lead, and it was shortly after that that the Oak Bays opened up and poured on the pressure and kept it on until they had piled up eight points, Ian Acland plunging over to score on a forward stampede, Grogan converting it and scoring a free kick.

Later in the game, after Bays had pounded for many minutes on the Wanderers' line, the three-quarter run was sprung which ended in Thompson bagging the winning points. This last try came from the game's highlight play, every backfield man handling, Thompson finally eluding Grogan and going over.

Thompson's free kick in the first half—a beautiful effort from 45 yards out—and Frank Doheny's try from a forward rush early in the second half accounted for the remaining Bay points.

Wanderers were the more aggressive in first-half play. But Bays held the upper hand in the final session, a strong Wanderer defence thwarting them of many potential tries.

Players' Club Holds Banquet

"This year we plan on bringing to Victoria for the first time, the Lipton and Seaforth Trophies which are emblematic of Canadian football supremacy in the province," said Jim Smith of the Victoria Revellers grid club in addressing the Revelers' Players Club in banquet at Terry's Saturday night.

Smith acted as assistant coach of the local team last year after breaking his ankle in pre-season practices of the Revellers. He will be in uniform this season.

The banquet was the first function of the recently-organized Revellers' Players Club. At the close of the evening it was agreed that the affair had been highly successful. Other functions have been planned.

Forty members of the club, guests and escorts were present. George Deacon, president of the club, was chairman, and Bob Van Horner, trainer, was master of ceremonies.

Deacon in a brief address reviewed the year's activities and the organization of the players' club. He spoke of the need of a woman's auxiliary to the club.

Miss Mary White told the gathering that a meeting had been called for this week when a woman's auxiliary would be formed. Plans had been under way for some time.

Other speakers were Tommy Stevenson, president of the Revellers Football Club; Van Horn and Benny McMillan, team manager.

Ted Scroggs, team strip manager, introduced the Revellers' fight song which drew cheers and applause from the members and their guests.

A short program was given and dancing concluded the evening.

An indoor polo match will be played tonight at the Willows Horse Show Building starting at 8.30. The public are invited to attend.

Rangers Regain Ice Lead On Eve of Crucial Series

Blood Flows at Wrestling Bouts

Rocky Brooks, Victoria's wrestling promoter and referee, made his farewell to local fans in a sea of blood at the weekly show Saturday night at the Army and Navy arena. Brooks, who will leave for Australia this week, got a royal sendoff when he was smothered in claret during the bout between John Katan and Billy Hanson.

It all happened early in the match when one of Hanson's big feet landed smack on Katan's nose and the blood started to flow freely. Katan chose to put Brooks' shirt and pants to good use and at the finish Rocky looked as if he had been cut in half a dozen places. Katan scored a one-fall victory when he side-stepped a dropkick in the fourth round and dropped on Hanson to pin his shoulders to the mat.

In the second feature bout giant Wee Willie Davis took two out of three falls from Joe Corbett. Davis, as usual, had the fans in an uproar with his rough tactics. A few rabbit punches and headlocks were enough to finish Corbett for one fall in the second round. Corbett evened it up in the third when he kicked Davis around the sing and flopped him. The finish was seen in the fifth when Davis, after taking a few flying tackles, smacked Corbett on the jaw as he attempted another one and threw his 290 pounds on top of him for a fall.

In the local preliminary Reg. Hopkins and George Lowe battled to a one-fall draw.

During the evening Promoter Brooks thanked the fans for the co-operation he had received since he started promoting here.

City and Wests Soccer Victors

Victoria City and Victoria West soccer elevens advanced into second-round play in the Jackson Cup series Saturday afternoon when they posted wins in opening matches. An eight-man Saanich Thistles squad put up a game fight only to be nosed out, 2 to 1, at Beacon Hill. Charley Lewis' City team blanked Rangers 5 to 0, at Athletic Park.

Wests were far from their best strength. Six regulars were absent, these berths being filled by subs, and they just managed to get a victory over the three-man-short Thistles through Chuck Restell's goal in the last minute of play.

The league-champion Victoria Wests had complete control of play all afternoon, but the best they could do was sag the hemp twice behind Jack Price, manager, who was forced to take over the goal duties himself. Price was kept pretty busy, but many of the fusillade of shots were wide of their mark.

Johnny Munro got Wests other goal in the first half. Thistles got their only tally in this half also, Restell handling in the penalty area and Joe Robbins scoring from the spot.

MILLS BREAKS LEG

In the City-Ranger game at Athletic Park an accident occurred that resulted in Jack Mills, City fullback, being sent to hospital with a broken leg. He collided with Saunders, Rangers goalie, and fractured his left shin bone.

Despite the fact the City was short-handed all the way, they had little difficulty beating the Ranger squad. At one time in the game they were four men short, but Lewis managed to build his squad up to nine men before the game ended.

George Barnes and Harry Holness found the hemp for first-half goals and Jack Boothe, "Scotty" Robinson and Barnes notched in the final half to bring the City's total score to five.

Hockey Standings

N. H. L.

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Rangers	27	10	9	135	75	63
Boston	29	12	4	161	95	62
Toronto	23	16	6	116	95	52
Chicago	21	19	6	103	116	48
Detroit	16	24	6	86	119	38
Americans	14	28	4	95	130	32
Canadiens	10	31	5	84	152	25

Dominoes Whip Boeing Squad

Running up a 16-point lead in the first two quarters carried the Dominoes through to a 50 to 34 triumph over Seattle Boeing Aircraft in exhibition basketball at the Victoria Sports Centre Saturday night.

The local hoopsters scored 17 points to Seattle's five in the first quarter and 13 to nine in the second period, making the score 30 to 14 when the half time gong was rung. Both teams traveled evenly in the final quarters. They scored eight points apiece in the third and 12 apiece in the fourth.

Although the Boeing team was not of the same calibre of other Seattle teams which have played the Dominoes this season, the game presented some nice ball. Seattle looked good in their passing but were lost when it came to finding the hoop.

Husky Roy Taylor and big Chuck Chapman shared the top scoring honors for the locals with 10 points apiece. Taylor worked from under the hoop while Chapman whipped them through on long shots.

Norm Baker and Ben Acreman, rooky members of the Dominoes who made four and five points, respectively, completed tricky dual plays several times. Baker looked exceptionally good with his passing.

Hank Rowe, John Mylrea and Gordon Patterson were not on the Dominoes' bench.

Top scorers for the visitors were Paul Smith with 13 and John Mills with 10 points. Eight of Mills' 10 markers came in the second half.

Bill Levy, Victoria, and Ken McGladrey, Chemainus, refereed. Teams and scores follow:

Victoria Dominoes C. Chapman (10), Jackson (9), Davies (8), A. Chapman (4), Taylor (10), Acreman (5), and Baker (4); total 50.

Seattle Boeing Aircraft—Stephens (3), Dickinson (2), O'Dell (4), Mills (10), Faust (2), Smith (13) and Weaver; total 34.

IN RUGBY FINAL

Royal Navy intermediate ruggers gained the final of the Island Cup series Saturday afternoon when they defeated Victoria College 3 to 0, at Macdonald Park. This gave the sailors the second-half championship. They will meet Oak Bay Wanderers, first-half champions, in the cup final. A penalty kick by Estes in the last half gave the R.N. their points. J.B.A.A. Club was unable to field a team, defaulting to Oak Bay Wanderers.

Muzz Patrick Scores; Meet Boston Twice

WEEK-END SCORES

Rangers 4, Americans 2.
Toronto 5, Chicago 2.
Chicago 2, Toronto 1.
Americans 4, Boston 2.
Canadiens 3, Detroit 0.
Detroit 5, Canadiens 2.

New York Americans played a big part in letting their fellow-townsmen, the Rangers, regain first place in the National Hockey League standings. The Americans drubbed the Bruins 4 to 2 at Boston Saturday. Then the Rangers stepped over the Americans 4 to 2 at New York last night, to take a one-point lead over Boston.

The set-up is now perfect for the crucial two-game series this week between the Rangers and Boston. The clubs tangle at Boston tomorrow night and again at New York Thursday. This series will likely determine the league championship.

Lorne Carr scored twice and Murray Armstrong and Johnny Sorrell once each to lead the Americans in their Saturday triumph, which assured them of a playoff position. Bobby Bauer and Bill Cowley got the Bruin goals.

The Ranger success was scored despite the best efforts of Charlie Conacher, who got both the Americans goals. Neil Colville grabbed two for the Blueshirts and Kilby MacDonald and Muzz Patrick one each.

The Americans' victory Saturday eliminated the Canadiens from a chance at the fifth and last playoff place, although the Habitants defeated Detroit 3 to 0 at Montreal the same night. The Canadiens made a gallant stand in the hope the Americans would lose and leave them in the running.

Canadiens went down to defeat last night, losing 5 to 2 to Detroit Red Wings on the latter team's home ice.

All the hot feuding that arose in the Stanley Cup finals of 1938 seems about to come to another head when Toronto Maple Leafs and Chicago Black Hawks tangle in the first round of this year's cup series.

The Hawks won that war of '38 after four of the scrappiest, wordiest engagements in the history of hockey's world series.

FLOCK OF PENALTIES

The feud broke out with renewed fury during the past week-end, when the Leafs defeated the Hawks 5 to 2 at Toronto Saturday and Paul Thompson's aggressive youngsters beat the Leafs 2 to 1 at Chicago Sunday. Teddy Graham, the former tough Detroit defenceman, refereed both battles and handed out 116 minutes in penalties, including two majors at Toronto and eight in the Windy City.

Saturday's victory left the Leafs mathematically certain of nothing worse than a third-place tie with Chicago. If the Hawks

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Three-way Fight in Victoria

R. W. MAYHEW, Liberal

As nominations closed today the election fight in Victoria resolved itself into a straight test between the three major parties with no independents in the field.

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Conservative

KENNETH McALLISTER
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ALAN CHAMBERS
Liberal

F. S. CUNLIFFE
Conservative

RONALD GRANTHAM
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New Democracy

A fifth candidate in the Nanaimo riding is W. E. Povah of Nanaimo, formerly a Victoria newspaperman. He is running as an Independent.

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Alberni Candidate

A. W. NEILL

the veteran Independent, who has represented Comox-Alberni at Ottawa since 1921, was nominated today for the latest campaign. He has generally been a Liberal supporter. Both Liberals and Conservatives have remained out of the contest in the riding but Mr. Neill will be opposed by Harrison Brown, C.C.F.

RANGERS REGAIN ICE LEAD ON EVE OF CRUCIAL SERIES

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establish a tie with Toronto, the Leafs still are almost sure to be considered the third-place club for the purposes of the playoffs because the Hawks scarcely can tie their goal average.

Sylvanus Apps and Gordon Drillon, whose scoring partnership has suffered all season through injuries, looked like the old reliable firm in the Toronto game. Apps scored twice and assisted Drillon in a goal, while Drillon aided in three scores as well.

Apps, who missed two months of the schedule through injuries, showed he isn't anxious to be pushed around again by turning on Joe Cooper of the Hawks in the third period as the defenceman gave him a combing. The usually placid Apps swung back and they dropped their sticks to fire fists. In the melee that followed, big Bingo Kampman of Toronto threw Cully Dahlstrom of Chicago into the laps of front-row customers.

FIRST GOAL OF YEAR

Doug Bentley gave the Hawks a lead 10 minutes after the game opened but Apps tied the score less than a minute later. Chicago was a man short through one of the string of penalties when captain Red Horner, with his first goal for the year, put Toronto up 2 to 1.

George Allen tied the score in the second but the Leafs turned on the heat in the third. Drillon, Apps and Nick Metz scored in that order, that last goal coming while Cooper was serving one of three penalties he drew during the period.

Bentley opened the scoring again in the first period at Chicago and Dahlstrom got a goal for the Black Hawks and Red Heron one for the Leafs in the third. Between the first and second goals, however, the fiercest fight of the week-end took place.

Murph Chamberlain of Toronto and Cooper were serving major sentences for one scrap when the big one broke out. Dahlstrom and Bill Mackenzie of Chicago and Wally Stanowski and Pep Kelly of Toronto drew majors for piling in. Allen and Bob Davidson of the Leafs got the same for another display of fisticuffs in the third.

Summaries follow

CHICAGO-TORONTO

First Game

First period—1, Chicago, Bentley (Hergesheimer, Dahlstrom), 10.11; 2, Toronto, Apps (Drillon), 10.53; 3, Toronto, Horner (Kampman, Schriner), 15.49. Penalties Allen, March, Davidson, Seibert, Kelly, Chad.

Second period — 4, Chicago, Allen (March), 2.22. Penalties—Kampman, Seibert, March, Heron, Horner (2), Chad, Church, Davidson, Dahlstrom, Bentley.

Third period—4, Toronto, Drillon (Apps), 1.38; 5, Toronto, Apps (Kampman, Drillon), 10.18; 6, Toronto, Metz (Drillon, Church), 19.01. Penalties—Apps (major), Cooper (major and two minors), Portland, W. Carse.

Second Game

First period—1, Chicago, Bentley (Dahlstrom, Gottselig), 11.48. Penalties—Kelly (2), Dahlstrom, Church, Allen, Portland.

Second period—Scoring—None. Penalties—Chad, March, Chamberlain (major), Cooper (major), Dahlstrom (major), Mackenzie (major), Stanowski (major), Kelly (major).

Third period—2, Chicago, Dahlstrom (Gottselig, Mackenzie), 7.55; 3, Toronto, Heron (McDonald, Schriner), 10.01. Penalties—Red Heron, George Allen (major), Bob Davidson (2, major), Pep Kelly, Gottselig.

RANGERS-AMERICANS

First period — 1, Americans, Conacher, 2.16; 2, Rangers, N. Colville (M. Colville, Shibicky), 5.16; 3, Rangers, N. Colville (Shibicky), 12.18. Penalties—Watson, Stewart.

Second period—4, Americans, Conacher (Sorrell), 1.55. Penalty—Coulter.

Third period—5, Rangers, Macdonald (L. Patrick, C. Smith), 13.12; 6, Rangers, M. Patrick (Shibicky, Pike), 16.56. Penalties—None.

CANADIENS-DETROIT

First Game

First period — 1, Canadiens, Goupille (Blake), 7.23. Penalties—None.

Second period—Scoring—None. Penalties—None.

Third period — 2, Canadiens, Blake (Sands, Getliffe), 13.30; 3, Canadiens, Getliffe (Young, Blake), 14.42. Penalties—None.

Second Game

First period—1, Detroit, Bruneteau (Howe, Motter), 4.48. Penalty—Motter.

Second period—2, Canadiens, Sands (Blake), 2.02; 3, Detroit, Kilrea (Howe, Bruneteau), 5.14; 4, Detroit, Howe (Bruneteau, Goodfellow), 17.53; 5, Detroit, Goodfellow (Abel), 18.03. Penalty—Drouin.

Third period — 6, Canadiens, Blake (Trudel, Sands), 12.31; 7, Detroit, Stewart, 18.00. Penalty—Orlando.

AMERICANS-BOSTON

First period — 1, Americans, (Sorrell, C. Conacher), 10.35. Penalty—Anderson.

Second period—2, Boston, Bauer (Dumart, Schmidt), 5.07; 3, Americans, Sorrell (Anderson, Boll), 15.27; 4, Americans, Carr (Armstrong, H. Jackson), 18.10. Penalty—Shewchuk.

Third period—5, Boston, Cowley (Hollett), 6.41; 6, Americans, Carr, 19.23. Penalties—R. Smith, D. Smith.

Tie for Honors In Cup Tourney

Finishing with net scores of 71 George Davies and Cecil Hulke tied for first place in the annual Carmichael Cup competition at the Gorge Vale Golf Club yesterday. The event is 18 holes on full handicap.

The two leaders will play off over 18 holes to decide the cup-holder.

Net scores follow:

C. E. Davies 71, C. Hulke 71, G. Cartwright 72, G. Robertson 73, F. Basanta 74, W. Frampton 74, M. Ott 74, C. E. Banfield 75, H. Sheppard 75, H. Pike 75, G. Pettigrew 76, H. Brynjolfson 76, G. H. Cross 76, E. Peden 76, E. Barber 76, E. Brachat 76, S. Jenkins 76, A. Hurst 77, G. Gunniss 78, F. Painter 77, D. W. Spence 78, L. Greenwood 78, J. G. Thomson 79, W. Jaffray 80, Leo. Derman 80, H. Mann 80, J. Dobbie 81, J. Caddell 81, Les Colton 83, C. F. Banfield 83, A. O. Cooke 83, W. Edwards 84, C. Keown 85, J. Goodman 86, C. J. Robertson 87, R. Peden 87.

INJURED ATHLETES MAKING PROGRESS

Several injuries were suffered in soccer, English rugby and junior Canadian football games Saturday.

Jack Mills of the Victoria City soccer team sustained the most serious injury, a broken leg, and will remain in St. Joseph's Hospital for some time. The injury wrote finish to his soccer activities this season.

Art McKim of Dominoes Canadian football team suffered a fractured collarbone. He was released from hospital yesterday and was reported doing well.

Other athletes injured, who were reported progressing today, were Ian Acland, Wanderers rugby team, and Jack Bing, Dominoes gridder, both with concussion; Stan Davies, Wanderers rugby team, twisted right knee.

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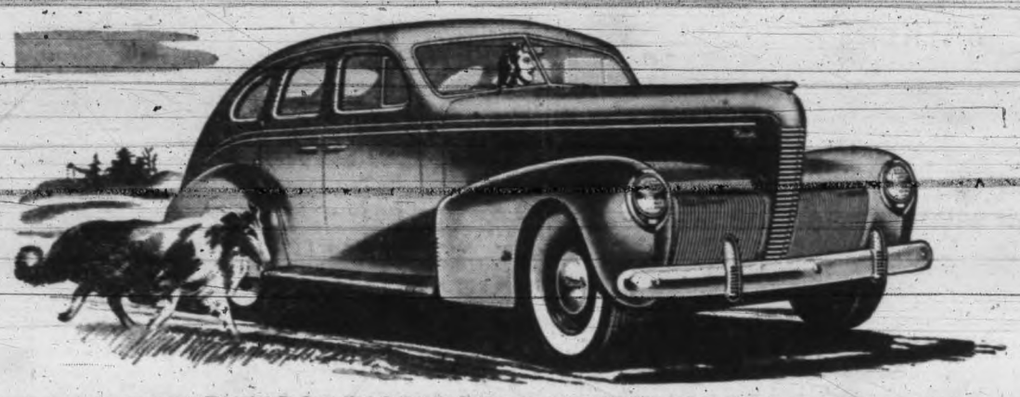

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Some of the crowd paid as much as $10 a seat for the privilege of getting a fleeting glimpse of the Tilden of old.

Prior to the feature, Fred Perry crushed Ellsworth Vines 6-1, 6-4.

DIVIDENDS

TORONTO (CP)—Directors of the Canadian Bank of Commerce today announced they had declared a dividend of 2 per cent in Canadian funds for the three months ending April 30, 1940. It is payable May 1 to holders of record March 30.

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Police today sought identity of a woman who collapsed and died early yesterday morning in the office of the C. & C. Taxi Company where she went apparently to order a car to be driven home.

After her collapse the woman was rushed to St. Joseph's Hospital by taxi company officials but life was pronounced extinct on her arrival there.

Police, in their efforts to establish her identity, described her as a woman between 55 and 60 with grey, bobbed hair, nearly white. She was about five and a half feet tall and wore a brown check coat with a small fur collar, brown stockings, a brown dress and brown shoes. She also wore glasses. She had both upper and lower dental plates. She carried a black cloth purse and a brown leather shopping bag containing a nightdress, indicating possibility she may have intended visiting friends overnight.

Meantime a post mortem examination was set for today to establish cause of death which was presumed to be from a heart attack.

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$95,000 Drive Opens Tomorrow

Plea for the public's wholehearted support was issued by officials of the Victoria arena campaign today as arrangements were completed for the $95,000 drive opening tomorrow throughout Greater Victoria.

The five divisions, business, residential, central, public services and industrial-commercial, will swing into action tomorrow. The 350 workers will start tomorrow canvassing for contributions, which are on a straight donation basis.

The campaign continues until a week tomorrow.

Another message of good luck came from New Westminster today in a telegram, which reads:

"We wish you every success in your arena campaign. Public here very enthusiastic about our operation arena, the centre of civic and service club activities. Revenue is more than sufficient to take care of operating expenses, interest and sinking fund.

"We are eagerly looking forward to inclusion of Victoria in lacrosse and hockey."

The monthly meeting of the Burns Club will be held in the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow night at 8 with the president, Captain J. A. Dewar in the chair. The meeting will take the form of an all musical night and a splendid program has been arranged by James Matheson. Contributors will be Bert Cartwright, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, George Guy, R. L. Miller and Miss Marion Lowe.

CONSERVATIVE MEETINGS — Nanaimo Federal Riding

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Victoria will save $10,342 over a three-year period on its fire insurance under the rates quoted by the B.C. Insurance Underwriters' Association, D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller-treasurer, reported to the finance committee of the City Council today.

The committee, following discussion, drafted a resolution for the council this afternoon, calling for the acceptance of insurance on the basis of a stipulated amount at the board's rate, or better.

The policies will be distributed among bona fide insurance agents of the city, according to the motion.

The committee also recommended rescinding of the 1936 motion appointing Ker and Stephenson insurance brokers for the city, and left that duty to the comptroller-treasurer's department.

Under the revised rates, rebates will be given to the city on three-year policies which have not yet expired.

Establishment of the stipulated amount for city insurance was recommended on the grounds it would definitely fix returns from city fire losses and obviate any chance of companies coming back at the city for part payment under a co-insurance scheme.

Manslaughter Case Started

William Gordon Vance went on trial for manslaughter today as the Victoria Spring Assizes opened under Chief Justice Morrison.

He was committed following preliminary hearing in the City Police Court as the result of the death on December 29 of Loy Hoy, Chinese pushcart peddler, in a mishap on Government Street, between Chatham and Discovery.

The case was called when H. A. Davie, representing the Victoria organization for legal aid for the poor, informed the court that counsel was not prepared to proceed with the first case listed, that of Gordon Garrett, charged with breaking and entering.

Dr. Charles Denton Holmes gave medical evidence in the Vance case, stating Loy Hoy was dead when he, the doctor, examined him in the police ambulance at the door of the Jubilee Hospital admitting office. Presence of 21 articles of clothing prevented a proper inquiry into the cause of death at that time and he had conducted an autopsy the next day. The autopsy revealed, he said, death had been due to dislocation between the first vertebrae and the base of the skull.

"There must have been some violent jerk," the doctor said, as a reason for the dislocation.

City Police Constable Harry Mercer testified he and Constable Reginald P. Lanning had attended a call to the scene of the accident about 8.35 on the evening of December 29. They found Vance standing by the front of the car. "At that time he was under the influence of liquor," the constable stated, adding the accused was unsteady on his feet and uncertain in speech.

The body of Loy Hoy was draped over the front of the car, the head resting on the engine bonnet, which was dented, and the feet extending over the bumper. The Chinaman was alive but unconscious, he said. About 150 feet behind the car he had seen the pushcart Loy Hoy used for vegetable peddling. The deceased had been taken to the hospital and Vance to the police station in the patrol, he said.

Constable Mercer further stated he had seen Vance about 6 in the same evening at another accident in which the car Vance was driving was involved. He had warned the accused against driving in his condition. The police officer stated, however, Vance "could look after himself" at that time.

Corroborative evidence was given by Constable Lanning, who also identified the broken pieces of a red lamp used by Loy Hoy at night. The pieces had been found lying on the pavement about the pushcart along with vegetables that had fallen from it. The pushcart appeared to have been struck. It was 136 feet behind the car on Government Street, he said. The street was wet but the rain had stopped. Cluster lights were on, he added.

Court adjourned just before the regular luncheon interval at Defence Counsel E. H. M. Foot's request to have the jury see the pushcart. M. B. Jackson, K.C., for the Crown, suggested the scene of the accident be viewed before evidence was resumed at the afternoon session.

An illustrated lecture on missionary work in South America will be given tonight at the Christian and Missionary Alliance tabernacle by Rev. R. M. Searing.

C.C.F. MEETINGS

MONDAY
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SATURDAY
Sooke Hall
Candidate Ronald Grantham at All Meetings

Notice Change of Schedule
Nanaimo C.C.F. Federal Election Committee

TOWN TOPICS

Vancouver Island Beekeepers' Association will meet in the Memorial Hall tomorrow night at 8. Pictures of a tour through Europe will be shown by D. H. Heyer, Brentwood.

A meeting of branch No. 18 Canadian Legion (T.V.A.) will be held on Tuesday at headquarters, 812 Blanshard Street. All members are requested to notice change of meeting time, from 8 p.m. to 2 p.m.

"The Banker's View of Retail Credit," will be the subject of an address which will be given by G. H. Harman, manager of the Bank of Montreal, at the Credit Granters' luncheon to be held tomorrow noon in Spencer's dining-room.

Cars driven by Robert H. Jones, 1281 Pembroke Street, and W. T. Osborn, 3018 Jackson Street, were damaged in an accident yesterday afternoon at Richmond Road and Haultain Street, according to a city police report. No personal injuries were reported.

Theft of a shotgun, three dozen fishing spoons and miscellaneous articles, all with a total value of $120, was reported from the Violet P, a launch, owned by A. Price, according to a city police report. The entry was discovered Saturday afternoon.

Two cars were badly damaged but drivers escaped injuries when cars operated by Edgar Jones, 1124 Oxford Street, and Frank Jenvey collided yesterday afternoon at Oxford Street and Linden Avenue. A city police report said the Jones car struck a telephone pole, breaking it off at the base.

Three week-end drunks were before Magistrate Hall in the City Police Court this morning and disposed of in quick succession as each entered a plea of guilty. Two first offenders were each fined $25, while the third, who is a familiar figure on charges of this nature, was given 20 days.

Motorists contributed $80 in traffic fines in police court this morning. Robert Marshall was fined $30 for dangerous driving. Six were fined $5 each for failing to carry 1940 drivers' licenses, six more paid $2.50 each for parking violations and two paid similar sums for not having rear lights on their cars.

In aid of the James Island branch of the Red Cross Society a large gathering attended the showing of colored films in the Moore Club Hall recently of the Royal Visit, Bare Island, the seagulls' breeding ground close to James Island and a forestry film showing the modern methods of large scale logging, with scenes of some of the fine Alpine grandeur to be found in British Columbia. These films were received with much interest and enthusiasm, thanks to George Melrose of the forestry department, who explained the various films. The amount realized for the entertainment amounted to $65.05, of which $9.10 was made by the sale of candy, donated by the ladies of the local Red Cross branch. Miss Grace Jennison, Miss Elinor Robb, Miss Nancy Thompson and Miss Betty Troup, dressed as Red Cross nurses, distributed the candy. During the evening Mrs. J. C. McCreesh played selections on the piano.

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Election Notes

Revision Courts Nearly Swamped

Courts of Revision on the voters' list were swamped this morning as they opened for corrections and additions to the enumeration taken a couple of weeks ago.

Courts were sitting at 743 View Street, 2020 Oak Bay Avenue and 899 Esquimalt Road for the three different sections of Victoria riding.

Within half an hour of the opening of the central court on View Street more than three dozen changes had been entered and there was still a steady stream of voters coming into the office.

The main complaint was that enumerators had taken down initials and then filled in the wrong names. There were scores of such cases.

Despite the supposed thoroughness of the enumeration there were dozens of cases of people who had not been registered.

It was also discovered there were some dead people listed. In most cases they had died since the enumeration, but in one case there was the name of a man on the list who had been dead two years.

Confusion over taking the ballots of the armed forces was finally straightened out today. Returning Officer Sydney Child announced. Military headquarters received definite word that all men in the services will vote under the active service regulations. Voting in the forces starts on Saturday and will continue all next week.

Several hundred soldiers and sailors and air force men are also registered on the civilian list in Victoria. Party scrutineers will be able to witness the military vote to make sure that they do not vote twice.

Service men who are already registered on the Victoria list will be advised that they must cast their ballots under the special rules.

Returning Officer Child announced today the rules for taking the advance poll on March 21, 22 and 23. The vote will be taken at Room 205, Hibben-Bone Building, and is open to commercial travelers, transportation men, mounted police and others who because of their occupation cannot be in the city on election day. Men of the armed services, who are usually allowed to vote in advance, will be excluded this time because they vote under the special active service regulations.

"Certain powers in Canada favoring a Fascist dictatorship in Canada are using the Defence of Canada regulations to that effect," said Rev. A. E. Smith of Toronto, leader of the Canadian Labor Defence League, here today to address a public meeting at the Chamber of Commerce tonight on civil liberties and against wholesale arrests and imprisonments.

Mr. Smith was tendered a luncheon in Spencer's today by members of various public groups.

SPEECH-MAKERS ACTIVE

On all sides candidates will signalize nomination today with renewed activity in speech-making.

Victoria Liberals will begin their list of ward meeting with a gathering at Skinner Hall, Victoria West, where R. W. Mayhew, the candidate, will be supported by Mrs. A. C. Ross and G. A. A. Hebden.

Conservatives will be at North Ward School with Thomas Irvine of Vancouver and Bruce Mickleburgh speaking with Brigadier J. Sutherland Brown.

In Nanaimo riding Alan Chambers, Liberal, will speak at Sooke tonight with Mrs. Nellie McClung as supporting speaker.

F. S. Cunliffe, Conservative, will do a double-up with meetings at St. Martins-in-the-Field and Marigold Hall. Supporting him will be Thomas Irvine, Dr. J. D. Hunter, M.P.P., and W. H. M. Haldane.

Ronald Grantham, C.C.F., speaks at Luxton Hall with Mrs. D. G. Steeves, M.P.P.

At the Chamber of Commerce A. E. Smith of Toronto, secretary of the Defence of Canada League, will speak on "The War Measures Act and What It Means to You."

The next "big name" speakers coming to the city will be here next Monday, March 18.

Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Minister of Pensions and National Health, former Minister of National Defence, will address a rally in the Empress Hotel ballroom on Monday evening with G. G. McGeer, K.C., in support of Mr. Mayhew.

The same day Murdo A. Macpherson, K.C., former Attorney-General of Saskatchewan, will speak at an afternoon meeting here, going up to Nanaimo afterwards for an evening meeting.

Theft of a valuable white sapphire ring by thieves who ransacked her home was reported to Saanich Police Saturday night by Mrs. A. Wilkier, 1971 Woodley Road.

OBITUARIES

WILLIAM WILBY, 78, NATIVE SON, DIES

William Wilby, 78, who was born in Victoria the year of the city's incorporation, died Saturday night in the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

His parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edward Wilby, had arrived in Victoria 10 years earlier and operated a small general store in Esquimalt in the days when the British Navy was stationed there and Vancouver Island was a crown colony.

For many years Mr. Wilby was employed by the pioneer stationery firm of M. W. Waitt and Company. Later he opened the Golden Rule Bazaar on Douglas Street and operated it for 20 years.

In recent years he had been a taxi operator and was a familiar figure at his stand at the Post Office.

Three years ago he was among the honor guests at the city's birthday party at the Empress Hotel.

He leaves his widow, formerly Celia Campbell of a pioneer Victoria family; at home, 1153 Yates Street; two daughters, Elsie of Cranbrook and Mrs. H. A. Robson of Alberni; two sons, Major W. J. Wilby, M.C., Vancouver, and Henry A. Wilby of Victoria; a sister, Mrs. Mary Higgins, Victoria, and two brothers, James of Victoria, and George, Vancouver.

The funeral will be held from the Thomson Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30, under auspices of Victoria Quadra Lodge, No. 2 A.F. and A.M., of which the late Mr. Wilby had been a pioneer member.

GEORGE H. MABON CALLED TO REST

George Henderson Mabon, for many years clerk of the Supreme and County Courts and registrar of voters for the B.C. government in Victoria, Esquimalt and Saanich districts, died yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital, aged 68 years.

Mr. Mabon was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, and came to Canada in 1904, settling in Elbow, Sask., until 1912, when he came to Victoria, residing here ever since. He made his home at 1051 Pendergast Street, and was a member of Macaulay Point Golf Club and associate member of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association.

He leaves three brothers and two sisters in Canada and Scotland, also one nephew, Robert Mabon, here and several nephews and nieces elsewhere.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon at 3.30 at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiating, assisted by Rev. J. R. Fife. Interment at Ross Bay.

NANAIMO MAN DROPS DEAD HERE

John Bennett, well-known resident of Nanaimo, where he was born 47 years ago, died very suddenly as he was walking on View Street on Saturday evening, while here on a brief visit.

Mr. Bennett was an alderman of Nanaimo and past president of the Conservative Association there, a past chief factor of the Native Sons of B.C., and a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. He is survived by his widow, one son, Earl, and two daughters, Mary and Margaret, all at the family home, and one son, William, in Vancouver; his mother and two sisters, Mrs. J. Naylor and Miss P. Bennett, in Nanaimo, and one brother, Copley, in Prince Rupert.

The remains will be forwarded tomorrow morning by Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. to Nanaimo for services and interment.

HARVEY — Arthur Maurice Harvey, 64, died at St. Joseph's Hospital Saturday. Born in Somersetshire, England, he had been a resident at Sidney for 30 years. He leaves a son, Dudley at home; a sister, Miss V. J. Harvey, in England, and a brother, George, in Missouri. Funeral will be tomorrow, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1 and proceeding to St. Andrew's Church, Sidney, for service at 2, under auspices of Mount Newton Masonic Lodge. Interment in Holy Trinity Churchyard.

MIDDLETON—Bishop H. E. Sexton, assisted by Rev. J. R. Fife, officiated at the funeral Saturday at Christ Church Cathedral for Mrs. Louise Middleton. Hayward's were in charge and interment was at Royal Oak. Pallbearers were Charles Nickerson, M. Leslie Melville, W. Head, D. Smith, F. B. Yates and J. M. Nesbitt.

MASSICK — The funeral of Ernest W. Massick will be held tomorrow afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 2. Rev. S. S. Peat will conduct, after which interment will be at Royal Oak.

RETIRED JEWELER CALLED TO REST

Member of a well-known pioneer family and for many years one of the city's leading jewelers, Ernest George Maynard passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday evening, after a long illness.

Mr. Maynard was born in Victoria 53 years ago and had lived here all his life. For some years he conducted a jewelry business on Yates Street, until ill-health overtook him nearly two years ago. He was a member of the Masonic order.

He is survived by his widow, at the family residence, 916 Park Boulevard, and three daughters, Mrs. B. Peden of Victoria, and the Misses Erna and Jean, at home, and his mother, Mrs. Sarah Jane Maynard 1222 Pandora Avenue.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 at McCall Bros. Funeral Home, followed by cremation at Royal Oak.

COL. R. C. COOPER DIED SUNDAY

Lieut.-Colonel Richard Clive Cooper, whose colorful career included distinguished service as a soldier in several campaigns, a term in the House of Commons as member for South Vancouver, and a successful business career as an investment broker here and in Vancouver, died in the Royal Jubilee Hospital last evening, aged 59 years.

Lt.-Col. Cooper was born in Dublin in 1881 and educated in England. He went to South Africa at the age of 15 and enlisted in the Rhodesia Volunteer Artillery, serving through the Matabele war in 1896-97 as a gunner. He received the Matabele medal and clasp. In 1898 he joined the British South African Police as a trooper and served through the South African war from the beginning until 1902, when he received his discharge as a sergeant.

Leaving South Africa and coming to Canada, he settled in Victoria and took an active part in military matters. He was one of the original members of the 88th Regiment. After serving a few months he was promoted to captain. He left in 1914 with the first draft of that regiment to form part of the famous Seventh Battalion, and went to France in command of No. 3 company. After the second battle of Ypres he was promoted to major and was second-in-command of that battalion, and went through the actions at Ploegsteert, Fleurbaix, Flores, Festubert, Givenchy and Messines.

On his return to Canada in 1916, Colonel Cooper held several military appointments, including the command of Shaughnessy Military Convalescent Hospital at Vancouver. In 1917, during his tenure of that office, he was elected to the House of Commons as soldier candidate for the South Vancouver.

Of late years Lieut.-Col. Cooper engaged in the investment business in Vancouver and, returning to Victoria about 10 years ago, was with Pemberton and Sons for a time and latterly with Laurence Smith and Co.

He is survived by his widow and two children, Shelagh and Bridget, all resident at the home of Mrs. Cooper's parents, Major and Mrs. W. H. Langley, 1031 Terrace Avenue.

SINDEL—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday, Miss Maude Sindel of 1118 Quadra Street, died, aged 59 years of age. Miss Sindel was born in Australia, and moved to this city five years ago. She leaves no relatives in Canada. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 from the parlors of the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home. Rev. J. R. Fife will officiate. Cremation at Royal Oak.

SMITH—Funeral of Harry Walter Smith was held from Hayward's Saturday afternoon, Rev. J. R. Fife officiating. Pallbearers were Bob Ferguson, Ben Pruss, Jim Eccles, Jack Wormald, Charles Jasper and R. Tyllier. Burial was at Colwood.

CHING—Requiem mass will be sung Wednesday morning at 9 at St. Andrew's Cathedral for Joseph C. Ching, 64, 723 Fisgard Street, who died at St. Joseph's Hospital Saturday.

SULLIVAN—Joseph Sullivan, 73, 840 Johnson Street, died this morning at 617 Douglas Street. He was born in Ireland and leaves no known relatives. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. have charge of the burial arrangements.

EVANS—Funeral of Mrs. Jane Evans was held Saturday afternoon at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse officiating. Pallbearers were W. Jones, A. Ham, G. A. Stevens, A. Smith, R. Osborne and G. L. Greener. Cremation at Royal Oak.

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LAING—Alexander Laing, 66, of 836 Hampshire Road, died on Saturday. He was born in Scotland and had been a resident of this city for six years. He served overseas in the Great War with the 49th Battalion, C.E.F. The funeral will take place on Wednesday from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 2.30. Rev. F. R. G. Dredge will conduct the service, after which interment will be at Colwood.

MORGAN—Rev. B. Wilson-Hodgson conducted funeral service for Arthur Morgan Saturday at Sands. Pallbearers were R. Day, J. C. Hodgson, Percy Wheeler, P. Mattison, G. Frazer and J. C. J. Morris. Interment at Royal Oak.

WATSON—Sam Watson, 82, died yesterday at the family residence, 1518 Brooke Street. He was born in Yorkshire, England, and had been a resident of this city for 21 years. He leaves a widow, and three daughters, Mrs. G. Clear of Merville, Mrs. H. D. Tee of Saskatoon, and Mrs. F. Salter of Selkirk Avenue, Victoria West, and one son, Claud Raymond Watson of Brentwood. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home at 3.30; interment at Ross Bay.

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NOBLE—To Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Noble (nee Ward) of 972 Wollaston Street, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 9, a daughter. Both are doing well. 1822

SMITH—On March 10 at St. Joseph's Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, 1194 Old Esquimalt Road, a son. 7929

DIED

WILBY—There passed away on Saturday, March 9, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, William Wilby, aged 78 years, a native son, beloved husband of Cecilia E. Wilby, 1153 Yates Street. The late Mr. Wilby was born in Victoria, January 26, 1862, and was the second son of an early pioneer family and had lived in Victoria all his life. He is survived by his widow, at the family residence; two daughters, Elsie E., of Cranbrook, and Mrs. H. A. Robson, of Alberni; and two sons, Major W. J. Wilby, M.C., of Vancouver, and Henry A., of Victoria; also one sister, Mrs. Higgins, of Victoria; two brothers, James, of Victoria, and George, of Vancouver; there are four grandchildren.

He was a member of Vancouver Quadra Lodge No. 2, A.F. & A.M., for many years. The funeral will take place from the Thomson Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon, March 13, at 2.30. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. No flowers, by request. Rev. H. Bryce Wallace will conduct the service.

LAING—There passed away on Saturday, March 9, Alexander Laing, aged 66 years, of 836 Hampshire Road. The late Mr. Laing was born in Scotland and had been a resident of this city for the last six years. He served overseas in the Great War with the 48th Battalion, C.E.F.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon, March 13, from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. F. R. G. Dredge will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

MASSICK—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on March 8, Ernest W. Massick, aged 61 years, beloved husband of Maude Mary Massick, of 490 Cecilia Road, Victoria. The late Mr. Massick was born in Maryland, U.S.A., and had been a resident of this city for the last 53 years. He is survived also by five sons and one daughter, George E., of Victoria; Harold, in Halifax, Nova Scotia; Charles, in Victoria; Ralph, in Lantzville, V.I.; and Gordon, at home, and Mrs. A. R. Webb, in Halifax; and eight grandchildren; also his mother, six sisters and three brothers in the United States.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon, from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, at 2 o'clock. Rev. S. S. Peat will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SINDEL—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, there passed away Saturday, March 9, after a short illness, Maude Sindel of 1118 Quadra Street. The late Miss Sindel, who was 58 years of age, was born in Australia, and moved to this city five years ago. She leaves no relatives in Canada.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. J. R. Fife will officiate and cremation will take place in the Royal Oak Crematorium.

HARVEY—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on March 9, 1940, Arthur Maurice Harvey, Sidney, B.C., aged 44 years. Born in Somersetshire, England, and a resident of Sidney for 30 years. He is survived by one son, Dudley, at home; one sister, Miss V. J. Harvey, England; and a brother, George Harvey, Missouri, U.S.A.

The funeral, under auspices of Mount Newton Lodge No. 89, A.F. & A.M., G.R. B.C., on Tuesday at St. Andrew's Church, Sidney, at 2 p.m., leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel at 12.45. Interment in Holy Trinity churchyard.

CHING—On March 9, 1940, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Joseph C. Ching, 723 Fisgard Street, aged 64 years.

Funeral services on Wednesday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel at 8.45 a.m., proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where requiem mass will be sung at 9 o'clock. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MABON—At St. Joseph's Hospital on March 10, 1940, George Henderson Mabon, aged 66 years, late residence 1051 Pendergast Street; born Edinburgh, Scotland, but a resident of this city since 1912, but prior to coming to this city was a resident of Elbow, Sask. Member of Macaulay Golf Club, and associate member of Army & Navy Veterans in Canada. Survived by three brothers and two sisters in Canada and Scotland; several nieces and nephews in Canada and Scotland, also nephew, Robert Mabon, in Victoria, and two grandnephews in Victoria, B.C.

The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel, from where funeral services will be held on Thursday, March 14, at 3.30 p.m. and interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Announcements (Continued)

DIED

WATSON—At the family residence, 1518 Brooke Street, on Sunday, March 10, Sam Watson, aged 82 years. The late Mr. Watson was born in Yorkshire, England, and had been resident of this city for the last 21 years. He is mourned by his widow, also three daughters, Mrs. G. Clear of Merville, V.I., Mrs. H. D. Tee of Saskatoon, Sask., and Mrs. F. Salter of Selkirk Avenue, Victoria West; and one son, Claud Raymond Watson of Brentwood.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home at 3.30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BENNETT—In this city on March 9, 1940, John Bennett, aged 47 years, late residence, Nanaimo, B.C. The late Mr. Bennett was a native son of Nanaimo, B.C., being for several years an alderman of that city. He was Past Chief Factor of Native Sons of B.C., member of the Fraternity of Eagles, and president of the Conservative Association for the Nanaimo district. Survived by his wife, two sons, William, Vancouver, B.C., and Earl, in Nanaimo; and two daughters, Mary and Margaret, both at home in Nanaimo; also survived by his mother, Nanaimo; and three sisters, Mrs. J. Naylor, Nanaimo; Miss P. Bennett, at home; and Mrs. S. Tembey, Cumberland; and one brother, Copley Bennett, at Prince Rupert, B.C.

The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel and will be forwarded to the Jenkins' Funeral Chapel at Nanaimo, B.C., on Tuesday morning, March 12, for funeral services and interment.

COOPER—On March 10, 1940, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Lieut.-Col. Richard Clive Cooper, late residence 1031 Terrace Avenue, aged 58 years; born Dublin, Ireland, but a resident of this city for many years. Survived by his wife and two daughters, Shelagh and Bridget, at home.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3.30 in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company Chapel, Ven. Archdeacon A. de L. Nunns officiating. Cremation at Royal Oak Crematorium.

SULLIVAN—On Monday, March 11, 1940, there passed away at Victoria, B.C., Joseph Sullivan, late residence 810 Johnson Street, aged 73 years; born Ireland.

The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company's Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

MAYNARD—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday, March 9, Ernest George Maynard, aged 53 years. The late Mr. Maynard was born in Victoria and is survived by his widow and three daughters, Mrs. B. Peden of Victoria, Misses Erna and Jean, at home, and a granddaughter, 916 Park Boulevard; also his mother, Mrs. Sarah Jane Maynard of 1222 Pandora Avenue.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock in McCall Brothers' Funeral Chapel, after which cremation will take place in Royal Oak Crematorium.

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DEANNA DURBIN IN CADET FILM

Two unique musical organizations will be heard in support of Deanna Durbin in her Universal film, "Mad About Music," at the Cadet Theatre today. The organizations are Cappy Bara's Harmonica Ensemble, composed of young men who play classical and popular selections on harmonicas, and the internationally famous Vienna Boys' Choir, a group of youngsters between the ages of eight and ten.

BRONTE CLASSIC ON RIO SCREEN

Samuel Goldwyn's huge set for the ball at "Thrushcross Grange" in his production of Emily Bronte's classic, "Wuthering Heights," showing at the Rio Theatre today, is the second largest in the history of his company, being eclipsed in size only by the gigantic palace of the Khan in "Marco Polo," which took up the entire interior of stage 8.

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Seaman Blown Clear By Blast

VANCOUVER (CP)—Many a sailor has had a miraculous escape in the vicious war at sea, but certainly none came closer to death than Patrick Brian O'Neill of Vancouver, who was sucked underwater by his sinking ship, only to be blown clear by the explosion of the vessel's boilers and then rescued by the U-boat.

Writing to a friend in Vancouver, O'Neill said that he went to sea last August aboard the British freighter Darino. He was at the wheel on the night of November 19 when the ship was torpedoed by a German submarine.

The explosion wrecked the vessel's superstructure and trapped O'Neill in the wheelhouse. He smashed his way out and fell overboard just as the Darino was taking her death plunge.

"I could feel myself being sucked under," O'Neill wrote. "There seemed to be no escape. Then came a mighty blast that seemed to hurl me out of the vortex. I learned later that the boilers had exploded and that's what saved my life."

Clinging to the wreckage, the survivors of the Dorino saw their submarine attacker come to the surface nearby. The British seamen were taken aboard, rubbed down and given steaming coffee and brandy. O'Neill said that the U-boat commander insisted on dressing the sailors' wounds himself.

When they counted heads, they found that only 11 out of 27 men had escaped from the Dorino. The survivors were aboard the submarine for more than 12 hours, during which time a French destroyer spotted and chased them.

"We dived to get away," O'Neill wrote in his letter. "It was horrible waiting for a depth bomb to finish us like rats in a trap." But the U-boat made good her escape and the next day the British seamen were transferred to an Italian ship and landed at a British port.

Now O'Neill is back at sea again aboard another British freighter traveling the precarious seas where he almost met his death.

Fear Shortage of Shipping Space

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A shortage of shipping space from Pacific Coast ports, which threatens to become acute, is reported to the United States Maritime Commission by the transportation department of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

The petition protested against the recent commission approval of 18 sales and seven charterings of ships formerly operated in inter-coastal trade. It stated shipping space is scarce even at this season, and later when heavier loadings of canned goods, dried fruits, sugar and beans are ready, it will mean a difficult transportation problem.

The department suggested the commission should put into inter-coastal trade its laid-up fleet of 20 or more vessels not affected by the 1939 amendments to the Merchant Marine Act.

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Down the Gangway

RUSSIANS KEPT IN IGNORANCE

The Russian masses are kept in ignorance of the Soviet war against Finland and those who know about it are convinced that the Finns were the aggressors, according to F. Emigh, Pittsburgh, Pa., engineer, who returned by the N.Y.K. liner Hie Maru after spending a year in the Ukraine.

Mr. Emigh, an expert steel man, went to Kharkov at the invitation of the Soviet government to speed up industrial enterprise.

When he attempted to take a short-wave radio into Russia, he faced much opposition by Soviet officials. Permission was given, however, when he threatened to refuse to go through with his contract.

The Russians, he asserted, knew very little of what was actually going on over there. In Kharkov, the Soviet workers were in the habit of crowding about the radio in his home and they displayed the keenest interest in the broadcasts.

"We don't hear that; we don't know what is going on," they told Emigh.

When the Soviet Invaded Finland the Russian newspapers carried the headlines, "Finnish Guns Shell Russian City."

As Emigh left Kharkov on his way home, Germany was exerting great pressure to get the supplies she needs from Russia.

A new railway was being built from Kiev through Russian Poland to be linked up at the border with German lines, he said, and the time set for its completion was eight months.

2 INJURED IN AIRPLANE CRASH

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two men were injured, one seriously, when a private airplane crashed in a field on Lulu Island near the city airport late yesterday.

Most seriously injured was Bruno Wook, 21 of Steveston, community on Lulu Island, who suffered a fracture of the spine.

He was a passenger in the plane piloted and owned by James M. Jacobson, 24 of Vancouver. Jacobson suffered concussion.

Jacobson said the plane went out of control and crashed from an altitude of 500 feet shortly after he had taken off on a projected short flight.

The machine was badly damaged.

Passengers Reached Safety on Rocks

MANILA (AP)—The British ship Ariadne Moller, with about 200 passengers aboard, went aground off the China coast at 2.30 today and sent an appeal for assistance.

Passengers from the 1,850-ton ship were removed to rocks at 3, said a wireless message. The ship's master later reported his owners at Shanghai would have a Shanghai-bound ship stop to pick up the passengers on the rocks.

Cancel Westbound Stop at Bermuda

NEW YORK (AP)—Pan American Airways announces it will eliminate its westbound trans-Atlantic stop at Bermuda beginning March 18, taking Bermuda off the trans-Atlantic schedule completely.

The airline referred to the schedule revision as "routine change."

Eastbound stops were canceled a short time ago.

Separate service between the United States and Bermuda will be continued.

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Canadian Pacific

Leaped to Death From Bridge Span

VANCOUVER (CP) — Police put in the vagaries of the tides at Vancouver's harbor entrance any hope of recovering the body of a young man who hurtled 210 feet from the span of Lion's Gate Bridge Saturday, leaving as the only clue to his identity a blue fedora hat bobbing on the surface of the water.

Police Sergeant Charles Halestone of West Vancouver, where the bridge has its terminus opposite Vancouver, said he believed the victim was a logger because the type of hat he wore "is commonly worn by loggers." Its purchase was traced to a waterfront store catering to lumber workers.

If the sergeant's guess is correct the man lacked the good luck of another logger, Oscar Erickson, who made the same jump 18 months ago and lived to tell about it. Erickson suffered only minor injuries when he plunged the 210 feet from the bridge which spans the First Narrows.

Whether the unknown jumper sought to emulate Erickson and his feat of "out-Brodieing" Steve Brodie, credited by many with a successful 96-foot leap from Brooklyn Bridge at the turn of the century, may never be known.

Police said their only hope of recovering the body and subsequent possible identification depended on the unpredictable tides and currents of the Narrows washing it ashore.

Until then, they said, there is little hope of locating friends to whom the man migh. have given some inkling of his fatal plunge.

A young Vancouver cyclist was one of the few eyewitnesses of the jump.

Allan Torey said he and two companions were gathering poles at the foot of the Vancouver terminus of the bridge when he glanced up toward the bridge's control tower.

"I saw a man's body flash out from the bridge railing," Torey said, "and called to my friends. One of them, Norman Gillies, also saw the man falling.

"He seemed to have his head tucked between his knees with his arms wrapped around them, falling in a sitting posture until near the water which he hit flattened out.

"There was a big splash, then only a hat bobbing on the water. We never saw the body again."

One of several Royal Canadian Mounted Police constables patrolling the bridge said just before the jump a man "kept stopping just after he got on the bridge and I thought I'd better warn him to move on. It's against regulations to loiter on the walk."

"When I approved him and told him to move on," the officer added, "He smiled at me and without a word turned and walked a little further on and paused again.

"I motioned to him and he kept going. When he reached the middle of the span he apparently climbed the rail and leaped."

Salmon Doomed

CORVALLIS, Ore. (AP) — The Pacific coast's great salmon fishing industry probably is doomed if present conditions continue, Dr. Lawrence E. Griffin said here.

The Reed College zoologist, addressing the second annual biological colloquim at Oregon State College, added that changed conditions might save the industry but much depends upon increased knowledge of salmon life in the sea.

He cited examples of the virtual extinction of numerous other forms of fish life through unrestricted exploitation by crowded populations seeking to supplement insufficient meat.

Ocean study, Dr. Griffin said provides an international problem because the "sea is a great pasture and fish know no international rules."

WEEKLY SHOOT

The Rainbow Rifle Club held its weekly shoot Saturday, the results out of a possible 100 being:

A class—P. Mackenzie 98, R. Ferguson 98, W. Acland 97, R. Saturley 97, Mrs. W. Bates 96, H. Davis 95, J. Gwilt 94.

B class—Miss H. Johnson 86, E. Wyeth 85, E. Grant 73.

FOOTBALL DRAW

GLASGOW (CP Cable)—Third-round games for the Scottish war-time soccer cup will be played March 23. In the draw made today St. Mirren was picked as the opponent of either Falkirk or Rangers, the country's leading teams who fought to a scoreless draw Saturday, necessitating a replay.

The third-round draw:

Airdrieonians vs. Heart of Midlothian.

Motherwell or Morton vs. Clyde.

St. Mirren vs. Falkirk or Rangers.

Dundee United vs. Kilmarnock.

Wheat

WINNIPEG (CP)—An unsteady tone appeared for wheat futures prices on Winnipeg Grain Exchange today and wheat futures prices moved around previous closing levels. At the finish quotations were ⅜ to ½ lower, with May at 89⅛, July 90⅜ and October 91⅝ cents.

Selling orders, prompted by reports of progress in Russian-Finnish peace negotiations, established a weakening tone most of the session but a late rally at Chicago brought prices back in the final hour.

Chicago was quoted ⅝ cent ahead shortly before the close. Buenos Aires was ¾ to ⅞ cent up at mid-day.

Demand for top-grade wheat continued in cash wheat trading but spreads were unchanged.

Early strength at Buenos Aires caused a flurry of buying in flax at the opening and crushers came in for supplies as the price trend started to rise. Some speculative buying was also noted.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd)

Wheat—	P. Clo.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	89-4	89-4	89-7	88-6	89-1
July	90-7	90-6	91-1	90	90-4
Oct	92-1	92	92-2	91-1	91-5
Barley—					
May	54-3	54-3	54-3	54	54
July	52-2	52-1	52-2	52	52
Oct	50-4	50-4	50-5	50	50-2
Oats—					
May	40-7	40-7	41	40-6	40-7
July	39-3	39-2	39-3	39-1	39-1
Oct	35-5	35-5	35-7	35-5	35-5
Rye—					
May	..	73-4	73-6	73-4	73-6
July	..	73-4	73-6	73-4	73-4
Oct	..	72-6	72-7	72-6	72-6

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—1 northern [illegible] 3 northern 83⅝, track 87⅛.
Oats—2 cw. 39⅝, track 39⅝.
Barley—3 cw. 51⅛, track 53⅛.
Rye—1 cw. 71⅝, track 71⅝.

INDEMNITIES FOR TUESDAY

Winnipeg

Wheat—	Bid	Offer
May	88-5	89-4
July	89-7	90-6
Barley—		
May	53-7	..
Rye—		
May	73-2	74

CHICAGO (AP) — Unofficial and unconfirmed reports of a Russo-Finnish settlement gave the wheat market a mild case of nervousness today, with prices fluctuating rapidly at times over a range of almost 2 cents.

Gains of a cent or more were recorded at one stage but there were frequent dips of almost a cent below Saturday's closing level and final prices were only fractionally higher than the previous finish. Pessimistic crop reports from the domestic southwest accounted for most of the market's strength.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd)

Wheat—	P. Clo.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	104	104-2	105	102-7	104-3
July	102-1	102-2	103-1	101-2	102-2
Sept.	101-3	101-1	102-4	100-5	101-4
Corn—					
May	..	56-6	57	56-4	56-5
July	..	57-2	57-4	57-1	57-3
Sept	..	57-7	58-1	57-7	57-7
Oats—					
May	..	42-4	42	42-2	42-2
July	..	36-3	37	35-7	36-4
Sept.	..	33-7	34-3	33-6	34
Rye—					
May	..	67-4	68	66-7	67-3
July	..	69-2	69-2	68	69-2
Sept.	..	69-1	69-6	68-6	69-2

New York Curb

(By H. A. Humber Ltd)

	Close
American Super Power	⅜
American Gas Electric	34⅝
Assoc. Gas Electric A	⅛
American Cyanide B	5⅛
Aluminum Company of America	38⅝
Arkansas Natural Gas pfd.	7¼
E. W. Bliss Corporation	15¼
Bunkerhill Sullivan	12½
Creole Petroleum	20½
Cities Service com.	4⅞
Electric Bond and Share	6
Humble Oil	58⅝
Hygrade Food Products	2⅝
Lonestar Gas Company	9⅝
Newmont Mining	75
Niagara Hudson Power	5
Premier Gold	1
Pioneer Gold	1¾
St. Regis Paper	2⅝
Standard Oil of Kentucky	20⅝
Republic Aircraft	6⅛
United Gas Company	1⅛

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY (CP) — Week-end receipts, cattle 415; calves 28; hogs 67; sheep nil. Today, only a few trucked-in receipts.

Lightweight steers 6.25 to 6.50; plain to medium 5.50 to 5.75. Common heifers 5.25 to 5.75; tops 6.25. Good cows 4.50 to 4.75; common to medium 3.50 to 4.25. Good bulls 4.35. No early calves. No hog sales. Last bacons 8.50.

Calgary Oils

CALGARY (CP) — Oil issues showed some signs of strength today in the lightest trading in months on Calgary Stock Exchange. Transfers were only 2,200 shares.

Okalta gained 4 to 1.12, and Anglo-Canadian 2 to 88, on an odd-lot trade.

Metal Prices

MONTREAL (CP)—Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds; 168s in British, representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $38.50 in Canadian.

LONDON (AP)—Bar silver 21 1-16d, off ⅛. (Equivalent 38.19 cents on the dollar basis $4.03). Bar gold 168s, unchanged (equivalent $33.85).

LONDON (AP)—Tin, spot, £258 bid, £258 10s asked; future £257 bid, £257 5s asked.

Egg Prices

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Products Inspection Service, Victoria, E 8622.

To producer, delivered cases returned:

Grade A large	17c
Grade A medium	16c
Grade A pullets	13c
Wholesale to retail:	
Grade A large	21c
Grade A medium	20c
Grade A pullets	17c

Wall Street Buyers Timid

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock market leaders generally tarried in a narrow alley today despite occasional flurries of strength exhibited by selected aircrafts and specialties.

Even steels failed to make decisive response to an officially estimated slight increase in this week's mill operations after eight consecutive weekly declines.

Wall Street apparently was heartened by the halting of the falling steel rate—most had looked for another drop—and further signs here and there that the industrial retreat might be nearing its end.

At the same time, buyers were notably timid, and the majority inclined to restrict commitments pending results of the Russian-Finnish peace negotiations. Scandinavian bonds jumped briskly as reports an armistice was in the making seemingly were given credence.

Posting plus marks at one time or another — some eventually slipped—were Bethlehem Steel, General Motors, Chrysler, Santa Fe, N.Y. Central, Allied Chemical, Montgomery Ward and Woolworth.

Lacking popularity were Goodyear, Westinghouse, Du Pont, North American, Anaconda, American Smelting and Phelps Dodge.

Corporation bonds were mixed. Foreign securities markets did nothing with the exception of Copenhagen, where the peace theme touched off a rally.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Dow Jones averages closed as follows:

30 industrials, 148.12, off 0.02
20 rails 30.81, off 0.03
15 utilities 24.12, off 0.12
Total sales—600,000.

	High	Low	Close
Allied Chemicals	176		176
American Can	115-2	115	115-2
American P. and L.	3-4		3-4
Amer. Tel. and Tel.	174-7	174-6	174-6
American Waterworks			9¼
Anaconda Copper	29-3	29-1	29-1
Atchison Railway			22¾
Baldwin Locomotive	15-4		15-4
Beth. Steel	77	76-4	77
Chrysler	86	85	85-7
Columbia Gas			57
Commercial Solvent	13-5	13-4	13-4
Crown Zellerbach			16⅝
Douglas Aircraft	84	83-4	84
Dupont	186-7	185-4	186-2
General Foods	48-2		48-2
General Electric	39	38-6	39
General Motors	54	53-4	54
Great Northern pfd.			24¾
Int. Harvester	56-6	56-4	56-6
Int. Marine	9-6	9-4	9-5
Kennecott Copper	37-1		37-1
Montgomery Ward	54-6	54-4	54-6
New York Central	16-2	16-1	16-2
Reynold's Tob.	41-4	41-3	41-4
Sears Roebuck	85	84-7	85
Southern Railway			16¾
Sperry Corp.	44-4		44-4
United Aircraft	48-2	47-6	47-7
United Gas and Imp.	12-6		12-6
U.S. Steel	58-2	57-5	58
Westinghouse Electric	112	111-4	111-4
Youngstown S. and T.			41¼

Bonds

NEW YORK (AP)—Finnish, Danish and Italian bonds today moved up more than a point. The Scandinavian issues were regarded as buoyed not only by Finland's defense against Russia but by British offers of increased aid to the Finns.

U.S. governments registered several small advances.

FOREIGN

(By Burns & Wainwright Ltd)

	Bid	Asked
Australia 4½% 1956	77.00	79.00
Bolivia 7% 1958	3.50	4.00
Chile 6% 1961	13.75	14.75
Columbia 6% 1961	32.25	34.75
German 4½% 1965	11.75	12.75
Italy 7% 1951	68.50	70.50
Japan 6½% 1954	86.00	88.00
Peru 6% 1961	9.25	10.25
Sydney 5½% 1955	79.50	85.50
United Kingdom 4% 1990	86.00	88.00

Above prices in New York.

PROVINCIAL

Alberta 4% 1953	66.00	69.00
Alberta 5% 1955	69.50	72.50
British Columbia 4% 1957	100.25	102.25
Do. 4% 1953	102.25	104.25
Do. 5% 1953	105.00	107.00
Manitoba 4½% 1960	91.50	94.50
Do. 5½% 1958	98.00	100.50
New Brunswick 4½% 1961	100.00	102.50
Nova Scotia 4½% 1952	106.50	108.50
Ontario 4½% 1950	108.00	110.00
Quebec 4½% 1958	101.50	104.00
Saskatchewan 4½% 1951	82.50	85.50
Do. 5½% 1952	84.00	87.00
Do. 6% 1952	89.00	91.50

CORPORATION

Abitibi 5% 1953	64.00	66.00
B.C. Pulp 6% 1950	82.50	85.50
Brown Co. 5½% 1946	51.50	53.50
Calgary Power 5% 1960	104.50	
Canada Cement 4½% 1951	102.50	
Canada Steamship 5% 1957	96.00	98.75
C.P.R. 3% 1945	90.00	92.00
Do. 3½% 1951	89.00	
Dominion Tar 4½% 1951	101.00	103.00
Famous Players 4½% 1951	100.50	
Gatineau Power 5% 1949	102.25	104.00
Maple Leaf 3% 1958	77.50	
Massey Harris 4½% 1954	92.50	94.50
McColl Frontenac 4½% 1949	101.50	103.50
Shawinigan 4% 1961	101.50	
Simpsons Ltd. 4% 1951	101.00	103.00
U.G.G. 5% 1948	97.50	99.50

DOMINION OF CANADA

(By A. E. Ames & CO.)

	Bid	Asked
5% November 1941	105¼	106¼
5% October 1943	110	111
4½% October 1944	109¾	110¾
4% October 1943-45	106	107
4½% February 1946	110¼	111¼
3¼% June 1946-49	100¼	101¼
3½% October 1944-49	101¼	102¼
3¼% November 1948-51	99¾	100¾
3¼% February 1948-52	99¼	100¼
4% October 1947-52	104½	105½
3% June 1950-55	95¾	96¾
3% June 1953-58	94¾	95¾
4½% November 1948-58	108¼	109¼
4½% November 1949-59	108¾	109¾
3¼% June 1956-66	97¾	98¾
3% Perpetual	87¾	88¾

COPPER DEMAND REVIVES

NEW YORK (AP)—Demand for copper from overseas buyers revived today.

A fair-sized tonnage changed hands at 11.65 cents a pound, presumably for prompt or nearby shipment. One producer was said to have sold a small amount at 11.75 cents.

Japanese interests were also back in the market inquiring for moderate amounts of the red metal.

LITTLE MOVEMENT

MONTREAL (CP)—The stock market appeared with a mixed trend in late dealings today.

Algoma Steel, Asbestos and Dominion Bridge continued weak. Steel of Canada issues firmed fractions. Brazilian and Montreal Power gave up small amounts and Canadian Car, Price Brothers and National Breweries failed to retrieve any part of their earlier declines.

(By James Richardson and Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Algoma Steel com.	15	15⅛
Do. pfd.	..	100
Associated Brew. com.	18¼	20
Do. pfd.	112	
Bathurst Paper	13¾	14
Building Products	16	16¼
Canadian Northern Power	16¼	16⅝
Canada Steamships	7½	7¾
Do. pfd.	21	21¼
Canadian Alcohol A	3¼	3½
Canadian Car and Foundry	14¼	14⅝
Do. pfd.	25½	26
Celanese com.	35	35½
Do. pfd.	127	128
Canadian Converters	17	18
C.P.R. com.	8	8⅛
Cockshutt Plow	8	8½
Consolidated Smelters	43½	44¼
Crown Cork	29	30
Distillers Seagrams com.	23¾	24
Dominion Bridge	37	37¾
Dominion Coal com.	14¼	14½
Do. pfd.	21	21½
Dominion Tar	7½	7¾
Do. pfd.	88	90
Dominion Textiles	90	90½
Gatineau Power pfd.	95	97
General Steelwares com.	10⅝	10½
Hamilton Bridge new	7½	7⅝
Hollinger	13⅞	14¼
Howard Smith	22	22¼
Do. pfd.	100	102
Hudson Bay M. and S.	30	30½
International Nickel	43½	43¾
International Petroleum	22¾	22¾
Lake of the Woods	25½	26
Massey-Harris	5¾	6
Montreal Cottons pfd.	115¼	120
Montreal Power	30¼	30½
National Breweries	35½	36
National Steel Car	[illegible]	[illegible]
Noranda	72½	73½
Ogilvies	32¾	33
Ottawa Power	15	15⅝
Penmans	70	71
Power Corporation	10	10½
Price Bros.	20⅛	20½
Do. pfd.	75	
Rolland Paper VT	16	20
St. Lawrence Corp. pfd.	19	19¼
St. Lawrence Paper pfd.	45	47
Sherwin-Williams	15	15½
Steel of Canada	77½	..
Do. pfd.	77	
United Steel	5⅝	6
CURB		
Abitibi	160	170
Do. pfd.	12¾	13½
Asbestos	24	24½
Bathurst B	4	4¼
Brewers and Distillers	5	5½
Canadian Sugar	33¾	34
Canadian Malting	37¾	38½
Canadian Vinegars	11¼	12
Canadian Breweries	190	200
Do. pfd.	24¼	29
Canadian Vickers	6½	7
Commercial Alcohol	3¼	3¾
Cub Aircraft	3	3¼
Donnaconna A	8¾	9
Fairchild	5¾	6
Fleet Aircraft	8¾	9
Ford A	21	21¼
Fraser Company	15	20
International Paint	3	3½
Do. pfd.	17	18¾
Massey-Harris pfd.	48½	53½
McColl-Frontenac pfd.	97	98¼
Page Hersey		110
Royalite Oil	32	34¼
Hiram Walker	42	42¼
Do. pfd.	20	20¼
BANKS		
Commerce		176
Montreal	208	209
Nationale	160¼	

RANGE IS NARROW

TORONTO (CP)—Price movements held within a narrow range today on the exchange and the market closed with averages showing little net change except in the golds which were lower.

C.P.R. closed ⅛ to ¼ up.

Distillers Seagrams, Walkers Pfd. and Canadian Industrial Alcohol A, added small fractions and gainers included Burlington, Dominion Foundries and Steel of Canada.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.) (9 a.m.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	168	169
Brazilian T. L. and P.		10¼
British American Oil	22½	22¾
B.C. Power "A"	29¾	30
Burlington Steel		13
Canada Malting	38¼	39¼
Canadian Pacific	7¾	8
Con Mining and Smelting	43¼	44
Dominion Bridge	37¼	38
Fanny Farmer	27	27½
Ford "A"	21½	21¾
Goodyear Tire com.		85½
Gatineau Power pfd.	95	
Hiram Walker G. and W.	42	42½
Do. pfd.	20	20⅛
Imperial Oil	14½	14¾
Imperial Tobacco	16⅛	16¼
International Nickel	43½	43¾
International Petroleum	22¼	22¾
Loblaw Groc. "A"		27
McColl-Frontenac pfd.	97	98½
Montreal Power com.	30½	30⅞
Bank of Montreal	208	209
Royal Bank		190

(By J. W. Jones Ltd)

	Close
Aldermac	27
Aunor	216
Base Metals	22
Bankfield	19
Buffaloe Ankerite	665
Canadian Malartic	60
Central Patricia	225
Chemical Research	30
Coniarum	164
Dome Mines	2425
East Malartic	365
Eldorado	91
Falconbridge	465
Francour	41½
God's Lake	54
Gunnar Gold	49½
Hardrock	106
Hollinger	1375
Howey Gold	34½
Hudson Bay Mining	3012
Kerr Addison	231
Kirkland Lake	124
Lake Shore	2500
Leitch Gold	71½
Little Long Lac	300
McIntyre	4800
McKenzie Red Lake	124
McLeod Cockshutt	187
McWatter's Gold	42
Steep Rock	260
Macassa	415
Mining Corporation	100
Moneta	87
Nipissing	125
Noranda	7200
O'Brien Gold	135
Pamour Porcupine	171
Paymaster	3525
Pend Oreille	180
Perron Gold	182
Pickle Crow	385
Powell Rouyn	136
Premier Gold	130
Preston East Dome	208
Privateer	62
Reno	35
Sheep Creek	109
Sherrit Gordon	96
Siscoe Gold	75
Sladen Malartic	43
Sudbury Basin	185
Sullivan	80
Sylvanite	300
Teck Hughes	380
Texas Canadian	206
Toburn	160
Ventures	405
Waite Amulet	555
Wright Hargreaves	715

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK (AP)—Late rates follow (Great Britain in dollars, others in cents).

Official Canadian Control Board rates for U.S. dollar: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 15⅝ per cent discount, or 84.37½ U.S. cents.

Great Britain demand 3.86½, cables 3.87¼, 60-day bills 3.85, 90-day bills 3.83¾; France 2.19½.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated—N-nominal).

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(Evidence before the Royal Commission demonstrated the opinion that it would be good business if the rate of drilling, as carried out between May and October, 1939, was maintained to promote a pipeline as a means of securing economic transportation approximately 20 months from that date or early in 1941.) War factors may increase the price of oil to some extent. (Canadian imports of oil in 1939, $56.9 million.)

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PREMIER DROPS

VANCOUVER (CP) — Losses held the upper hand on the quiet forenoon session of Vancouver Stock Exchange today as only 13,435 shares changed hands. Sales were scattered between the oil and gold sections.

Premier Gold dropped 4 cents to 1.33, while Sheep Creek at 1.07 and Hedley Mascot at 47 each eased 1. Island Mountain sold at 1.01, 2 cents above Saturday's closing bid, and other senior golds were unchanged.

Okalta Oil lost 5 cents at 1.10, while A.P. Consolidated at 16, was 1 cent higher than the previous closing bid. Calmont at 36, Brown at 15½, Home at 2.50 and Royal Canadian at 18¼ were unchanged.

Base metals were inactive.

(By Mara, Bate & Co. Ltd.)

MINES—	Bid	Asked
Big Missouri	9¾	10
Bralorne	1050	1090
Cariboo Gold	545	..
Dentonia	1¼	..
Fairview Amalgamated	1⅛	..
Golcanda	5	7
Gold Belt	25	..
Grandview	14	15
Grull Wihksne	2½	3½
Hedley Mascot	46	52
Home Gold	½	⅞
Island Mountain		101
Kootenay Belle	64	65
Lucky Jim	1⅝	1⅞
Minto	1¼	1½
Nicola	2¾	3½
Noble Five	1½	
Pend Oreille	175	180
Pilot	½	
Pioneer Gold	218	222
Porter Idaho	1⅛	2
Premier Border	1	1⅛
Premier Gold	133	134
Privateer	62	65
Quatsino Copper	2½	3½
Reeves McDonald		20
Relief Arlington	9	11
Reno Gold		36
Rufus Argenta	⅝	
Sally	5½	..
Salmon Gold	3	3½
Sheep Creek	107	108
Silbak Premier	109	
Taylor Bridge	2½	
Vidette	5	6¼
Wesko	⅜	½
Whitewater	3	4
Ymir Yankee Girl	4¾	5½
OILS—		
Amalgamated	½	
Acaconda	5½	6
Anglo-Canadian	86	90
A.P. Con.	15	16
Baltac	1½	2
British Dominion	..	15
Brown Oil	15	17
C. and E. Corp.	196	199
Calmont	..	28
Commonwealth	26½	..
Commoil	27	..
Firestone	6	7
Four Star	10	..
Freehold	2	2¾
Highwood Sarcee	13	..
Home Oil	249	..
Mar Jon	2½	2¾
Mercury	6	..
McDougall Segur	10	..
Model Oil	22	23
Monarch	6	9
National Pete	12½	13
Norcon	..	6½
Okalta	110	115
Pacalta	..	5
Prairie Royalties	..	18½
Royal Canadian	18	19
Royalite	..	34
Southwest	40	53
United Oil	..	7½
Vulcan	46	54
MISCELLANEOUS—		
Capital Estates	125	150
Coast Breweries	128	130
United Distillers	75	100

A. H. Sandwell Dies; Writer on Aviation

MONTREAL (CP) — Flight-Commander Arnold Hugh Sandwell, 47, well-known as a writer and lecturer on aviation subjects, died in a hospital yesterday, a week after he had undergone an emergency operation for peritoritis.

He earned his flying rank in the first Great War, after which he went to Invermere, B.C., where he lived until he returned to Montreal in 1929 and joined the head office of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada.

British Columbia Power Corporation Limited

DIVIDEND NO. 47

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a dividend of fifty cents (50c) per share on Class "A" shares has been declared for the three months ending March 31, 1940, payable by cheque dated April 15, 1940, to shareholders as of record at the close of business on Saturday, March 30, 1940; such cheques will be mailed on April 13, 1940, by the Montreal Trust Company from Vancouver.

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Uncle Ray

Friar's Story Led to Coronado's Journey

This year people are taking special note of something which happened 400 years ago—the journey of Coronado. The trip lasted two years, but people are celebrating the year it began—1540.

Coronado leading party northward through Mexican desert.

At that time the New World was not well known. Columbus had crossed the Atlantic, but no white man had seen the Mississippi. Almost nothing was known about the land west of the great river.

Three churchmen, under the lead of Friar Marcos, had entered land now in the southwestern part of the United States, in company with a negro. The negro had gone ahead of the friars, and had been slain by Indians. Then the churchmen had turned back to Mexico, escaping with their lives. Friar Marcos had declared there were "seven golden cities" in the north.

Mexico was ruled by a governor named Mendoza, who had been put in office by the King of Spain. The governor decided to send a small army to locate the cities and to obtain whatever treasure could be found. He was a kindly man, and gave orders that the natives were to be well treated.

Francisco Coronado, a 40-year-old Spaniard, was placed in charge of 250 mounted men, 70 foot soldiers and a few hundred friendly Mexican Indians.

The party made its way up along the western side of Mexico until it entered land now inside the United States. The entry was made at a point not a great distance from the border between Arizona and New Mexico.

In those days there was no such country as the United States. The Spaniards called the region "Cibola."

The trip was mainly a search for the "seven golden cities." The men grew excited when they came in sight of an Indian settlement. They hurried to it, their eyes wide open for gold. No gold was found, however. There was not even any silver in the place, so far as could be learned.

One good thing the city did supply, and that was food. Hungry after the long journey, the Spaniards enjoyed a feast.

After resting in the village, they gathered up loads of corn to take with them while they were trying to reach the next settlement. They hoped to find a much richer place within a few days.

HOROSCOPE

Tuesday, March 12

Mingled good and evil planetary aspects rule today. The morning should be auspicious for the signing of contracts with workers. The moon enters Taurus, a sign conducive to courage which may be much needed before the end of the month. Women are under a sway making for varied activities.

The configuration should be stimulating to women, who will realize that heavy responsibilities await them in service of many sorts. Those who have vocational training should perfect themselves in technique. The evening is auspicious for hospitality and may encourage love affairs.

Puzzling problems connected with neutral exports will multiply, but general trade will be good. Manufacturing will reach the highest standards of speed in production. Apprehension regarding springtime European war policies may slow down certain industries. Close relations between business and government will prevail.

Discussion of the potentialities of war drives in their effect upon neutral countries will be serious as the stars presage conflict on a vast scale. Secret information will spur some governments to stern measures in diplomacy. Harassing manoeuvres of fleets are forecast.

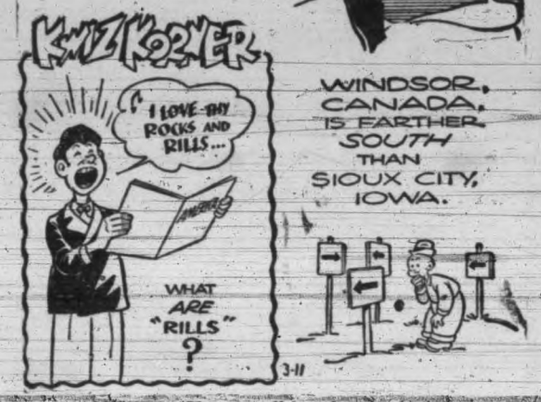
The contest which seems to threaten civilization as the European war continues will develop desperate situations for Hitler. The stars seem to presage for the spring the sort of warfare long dreaded—wholesale attacks on land and sea and from the air. Dictators come under evil portents that seem to forecast lack of harmony among them, even though they may unite for selfish reasons. Unrest that reaches dangerous stages is foreseen for peoples engaged in war.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of prosperity to which friends contribute. The wise will not seek change or make any attempt to engage in new vocations.

Children born on this day probably will be vigorous, quick-tempered and impetuous. Many of these subjects of Pisces have talent for music.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: Very small brooks, or rivulets.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—My fiance is 30 years old. Says that he is deeply in love with me, but that the more he thinks about marriage the less he thinks of it. Four months ago he wanted to get married, but called it off one week before the wedding date because he thought I wasn't quite sure enough of my love for him. Now I want to marry and settle down, and ever since I have been trying to convince him of my affection, but I am getting nowhere with him and I am wondering if he will ever change his mind. I have opportunities to go out with others. Do you think I had better try to forget this man, even though I am very much in love with him?

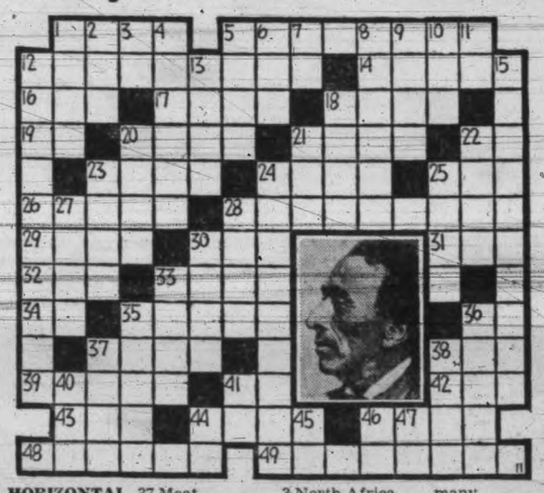
PERPLEXED GIRL.

Answer: If you want to get married you had certainly better transfer your affections to some more promising matrimonial prospect, for this recreant lover who let you down on your very wedding eve will never come up to scratch. Perhaps he did once contemplate marrying you, but when the fateful time of doing so drew near and he got to thinking about the responsibilities of marriage and having to work and support a family, and having to sacrifice his own tastes and habits to please a wife, and saw his freedom go glimmering, why, he just simply got cold feet. And that was that, and it is going to stay that way, and no art or artifice of yours is ever going to drag him to the altar.

Surely you are not silly enough to be taken in by the flimsy excuse he made for calling off the wedding—that he wasn't sure enough of your love. Men have broken engagements for a million things, but never for that, because no man ever suspicions that a woman isn't in love with him. He just knows she is because she couldn't help being.

DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL
1, 5 Favorite children's writer, —— Christian ——
12 One skilled in money matters.
14 To apportion.
16 Room recess.
17 Genus of Auks.
18 Clock face.
19 Neuter pronoun.
20 The shank.
21 Refined woman.
22 The soul.
23 Wan.
24 To employ.
25 2,000 pounds.
26 Sea tales.
28 Fabrics.
29 To jog.
30 Strife.
31 Snaky fish.
32 To help.
33 Comet train.
34 Note in scale.
35 Rubbed in dirt.
36 Pint.
37 Meat.
38 Fruit pastry.
39 To cramp.
41 Chaos.
42 Finish.
43 Silkworm.
44 Money changing.
46 Female horse.
48 He was —— by nationality.
49 He was a last century —— and story-writer.

VERTICAL
1 Sword handle.
2 Data.
3 North Africa.
4 Growls.
5 Is sick.
6 Born.
7 Doctor.
8 One that raids.
9 To kill.
10 Measure of length.
11 Negative.
12 His —— —— gave him world-wide fame.
13 Guide thread.
15 His stories are —— into many languages.
18 Challenge.
20 Lingo.
21 Kindled.
22 Tree trunk.
23 To goad.
24 Buffoon.
25 Chinese money.
27 Operatic melody.
28 To cripple.
30 Homeless child.
33 Weight allowance.
35 Demons.
36 Coniferous trees.
37 To consume by fire.
38 Fairy.
40 Beverage.
41 No good.
44 Sound of surprise.
45 Hawaiian bird.
46 Myself.
47 Indian mulberry.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Victoria Army In Tough Loss

VANCOUVER (CP)—Old man bad luck dogged Victoria Garrison here Saturday when they dropped the second of a two-game series for the Army and Navy Trophy, symbolic of intercity military English rugby supremacy, 5 to 3 to Vancouver Garrison.

The invaders just missed a try that may well have been the victory margin when Pte. Russell went over the line only to have the ball slip out of his hands.

It was a rugged, hard-tackling game, with all the scoring done in the first half. Vancouver, who won the first game 6 to 5 in Victoria two weeks ago, made its points on Sgt. Ray Sutton's try and H. W. (Gracie) Field's convert. Gunner T. D. Carney booted a field goal for the Victorians.

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Todd Cup Tourney For Oak Bay Women

Women members of the Victoria Golf Club open play this week in the annual competition for the Mrs. Charles F. Todd cup. Play will be on handicap.

The draw follows:

FIRST ROUND

Mrs. McLaughlin vs. Mrs. Sheffield, Mrs. Unsworth vs. Miss Terese Todd.

SECOND ROUND

Miss V. Shandley vs. Mrs. Seatle, Mrs. Bowden vs. Mrs. Paterson, Mrs. Phethean vs. Mrs. Bagley, Mrs. Scott vs. Miss Benson, Mrs. Combe vs. Mrs. Howell, Mrs. Stubbs vs. Mrs. Hadley, Miss S. Spencer vs. Miss M. Todd, Mrs. McLaughlin or Mrs. Sheffield vs. Mrs. Unsworth or Miss T. Todd, Mrs. Brough vs. Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Macdonald vs. Miss R. Jones, Mrs. Musgrave vs. Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Gamble vs. Miss V. Smith, Mrs. Goodlake vs. Miss K. Mackenzie, Mrs. Chas. E. Wilson vs. Mrs. H. F. Hepburn, Mrs. Nickson vs. Mrs. E. D. Todd and Mrs. N. Baker vs. Mrs. Tomalin.

W. B. Leach Is Golf Medalist

With a gross score of 79 which his handicap reduced to a net 65, W. B. Leach was medalist in the qualifying round of the annual Galt Cup competition at the Victoria Golf Club yesterday.

Bill Munro finished runner-up with 77-10—67, while R. C. Field and Capt. O. Cox shared third place with net 68s.

Complete net scores follows:

W. B. Leach 65, W. Munro 67, R. C. Field 68, Capt. O. Cox 68, Walter Newcombe 69, Dr. R. Scott-Moncrieff 69, Alan Taylor 70, H. F. Hepburn 70, A. Watson 70, A. S. C. Musgrave 71, O. C. Simpson 71, J. A. Squire 72, A. H. Ford 72, W. H. M. Haldane 72, G. K. Verley 73, B. P. Schwengers 73, W. P. Bowden 73.

The last three tied for the last two places to qualify for the Cup and will play a full round at their earliest convenience to decide who qualifies.

L. S. V. York 74, C. P. Rutherford 74, J. D. D. Campbell 74, H. E. Haynes 74, S. A. Haynes 74, H. B. Combe 75, W. P. C. Unsworth 75, H. G. Garrett 76, S. P. Birley 77, Dr. A. Turnbull 77, C. Stanier 79, W. H. Newcombe 79, A. B. Crump 82, C. W. Stanbury 84, Dr. Caverhill 93, G. H. Simons 93; G. H. Simons won the second flight.

THE DRAW

Galt Cup—W. H. Leach vs. A. Watson; Walter Newcombe vs. A. H. Ford; R. C. Field vs. C. C. Simpson; Alan Taylor vs. Play-off; W. Munro vs. A. S. C. Musgrave; R. Scott-Moncrieff vs. W. H. M. Haldane; Capt. O. Cox vs. J. A. Squire; H. F. Hepburn vs. Play-off.

First Flight—H. G. Garrett vs. Play-off; H. E. Haynes vs. W. H. Newcombe; C. P. Rutherford vs. Dr. Turnbull; H. B. Combe vs. C. W. Stanbury; L. S. V. York vs. S. P. Birley; S. A. Haynes vs. A. B. Crump; J. D. D. Campbell vs. C. Stanier; W. P. Unsworth vs. Dr. Caverhill. All matches will be 18 holes except the final which will be 36 holes.

First rounds to be played on or before March 17; second rounds, March 24; semifinals, March 31; final, April 7.

'Y' TRACKSTERS HOLD WORKOUT

A strong and enthusiastic turnout at the Flying "Y" track and field team's first 1940 indoor training session Saturday afternoon at the association track and gym speaks well for the success of the team this season.

The indoor sessions will be held weekly, Saturday afternoons from 4 to 6, until late next month, when the team will move outdoors. Any member of the Y.M.C.A. 15 years and over is invited to turn out, also outsiders who would like to sign up with the team.

Jim Panton, Kelowna, broad-jumping artist of fame, and Joe Addison, all round runner of the squad who has likewise made a name for himself, will act as coaches for the indoor sessions.

Under the eye of Archie McKinnon, head coach, Addison and Panton put those who attended Saturday through preliminary paces.

Among those present were Bill Clarke, rugged junior; John Stewart, sprint artist; Norm Willis, distance runner and shot put husky, and Grant Willis, distance man.

Racing Results

SANTA ANITA—Results of horse racing here Saturday follow:

First Race—Three furlongs:

Rio Macaw (James)	$6.00	$2.80	$2.60
Zacharias (Neves)		2.60	2.40
Tin Pan Alley (Richards)			3.80

Time, :33. Also ran: Satin Coat, Hadastar, Golden Age.

Second Race—One mile:

Enthrall (McRoberts)	$15.20	$7.20	$5.00
Kaps Answer (Longden)		7.20	6.20
Dismister (Wagner)			5.00

Time, 1.38 4-5. Also ran: Dark Phaona, Mimosa, Wahlune, Rothesay, Soboba Miss, Rahance, Bill Whiting.

Third Race—Six furlongs:

Bibliophile (Taylor)	$18.40	$6.00	$3.80
Kumreigh (Dodson)		3.80	2.80
Commendable (Wagner)			3.80

Time, 1.12 1-5. Also ran: Big Boy Blue, Black Highbrow, Blue Marvel.

Fourth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Tonta (Dodson)	$8.40	$4.00	$3.20
Albino (Neves)		3.80	3.00
Stringalong (Fermin)			5.20

Time, 1.45. Also ran: Quick Gold, High Vote, Shasta Racket, Easy Sailing.

Fifth Race—Seven furlongs:

Enchanted (Dodson)	$10.20	$4.00	$2.80
Noroton (Longden)		3.60	2.80
Mosawire (Dennis)			3.40

Time, 1.23 3-5. Also ran: Teddy Patic, Billie Bane, Imperial Scout, Enoch Borland.

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Mioland (Adams)	$8.00	$4.80	$3.60
Weigh Anchor (Longden)		8.20	4.80
Sweepida (Shelhamer)			4.80

Time, 1.45 1-5. Also ran: Royal Crusader, Red Chip, Kantan, Sky Dog, Exarch, Gallahadion, Carmenita, Augury, Bachelor Tom, Sun Pharos, Blue Suit.

Seventh Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Mr. Grundy (Dew)	$11.00	$4.60	$2.20
Vain Bo (Neves)		4.20	3.40
Best Beau (Packer)			4.40

Time, 1.45. Also ran: Mount Vernon II, Forsooth, Exploded, Rhinie, Rolling Ball.

Eighth Race—Mile and one-eighth:

Gay Jacket (Scott)	$13.00	$8.20	$4.80
Pep Talk (McRoberts)		11.80	6.40
Danfield (Packer)			3.20

Time, 1.53 2-5. Also ran: Cayenne, Cerro, Sitting Bull, Hasten Henry, Unlino.

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Cable Rates On News Cut

TORONTO (CP)—The long-sought Empire press cable rate now is in effect, permitting transmission of newspaper copy between any two points in the British Commonwealth at a flat 4½ cents a word. The new two pence-farthing rate is expected to increase greatly the exchange of news among the Dominions, India and the colonies.

Actually the rate has been effective since February 1 last, but the announcement January 28 indicated that it ruled only between Canada and points in Great Britain and Ireland. Previously the rate between Canada and Great Britain and Ireland had been five cents a word.

For a number of years the Canadian section of the Empire Press Union took the lead in advocating to a flat low press rate within the Empire, particularly for interchange of background and interpretative news, the goal being a penny a word. The move was pressed at London by the Empire Press Union.

The new Empire rate facilitates direct interchange of news between Empire points where previously the interchange was entirely through London, using at London the facilities of Reuters, the British news agency. Direct rates to Canada were as high as 15 cents a word from India and South Africa, compared with five cents from London.

On April 15, 1939, the rate of 4½ cents was announced from London as effective throughout the Empire with the exception of Canada, Trans-Jordania and the Sudan. Negotiations conducted by the Empire Press Union resulted in the inclusion of Canada February 1. The sole exception of the new rate is Palestine.

AMPUTATIONS HOLD ANNUAL DINNER

Members of the Victoria branch of the Amputations Association gathered in Spencer's dining-room Saturday night for their annual dinner.

Comrade F. R. Wells made the presentation of the past president's badge to Comrad H. Thirwall and a suitable gift to Comrade H. Glendary, retiring secretary, as tokens of appreciation for service rendered the association.

Musical entertainment featured the evening, those contributing being, Comrades S. J. Chiverall and Hacks, Miss G. Hemp, W. Holmes and W. Anderson, Comrade J. Dobbie, leader of the community singing, and Lance-Corporal Usher and McGill, instrumental selections. Cecil Heaton provided the piano accompaniment.

Comrade J. Davey and committee arranged the program.

Invited guests include: Mrs. Walter C. Nicol, an honorary member, regent of the Municipal Chapter I.O.D.E.; Colonel W. S. Latta, public services branch of the Canadian Legion, and Major T. R. Wheadon, president of the Army and Navy Veterans, Victoria branch.

Rumors False... Ursus Healthy

Rumors circulating yesterday and today that Ursus Kermodei, the famous white bear at Beacon Hill Park, had passed on to his happy hunting grounds, were reported false by park officials.

"Ursus is in fine condition . . . never better in his life," Sam Smith, animal keeper, said. "I can't understand how such rumors were started."

This May Ursus will have been in captivity at the park 16 years. He was captured on Princess Royal Island, B.C., by Indians when about six months old and was brought to Victoria.

The bear, named after Francis Kermode, curator of the Provincial Museum, is getting along in life with his 16th birthday passed, but he is expected to live for a number of years yet.

Carpet Bowling

Results of matches in the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League follow:

K. of P. 15, A.O.F. Robin Hood 14.

A.O.F. Sherwood 21, K. of P. 11.

Willows Ramblers 11, K. of P. 10.

Willows Park 18, Esquimalt Rovers 28.

A.O.F. Friars 19, A.O.F. Robin Hood 15.

Esquimalt Rovers 24, A.O.F. Friars 21.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the league held at the Foresters' Hall last Wednesday evening it was decided to hold the annual tournament at the Foresters' Hall, commencing March 18. Entries for the championship singles, novice singles, open doubles, ladies' doubles, mixed doibles and mixed triples events close March 15, when the draw will be made. The final date for rink entries for the Army and Navy and Kiwanis Cup events has been set for March 26. It was also decided to hold a knock-out competition for rinks in the league. Entries for this event must be filed not later than March 15.

Results of matches in the Victoria Carpet Bowling League follow:

A Section

C. G. Spades 15, Britannia Stars 10. Britannia Rivals 18, Britannia Buddies 10.

B Section

C.G. Ramblers 24, C. G. Badgers 16. Britannia Royals 22, Britannia Rangers 21.

S.O.E. Lions 19, S.O.E. Repulse 20. Britannia Horseshoes 17, C.G. Owls 19.

LEAGUE STANDING

A Section

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
C. G. Spades	13	2	1	27
Britannia Stars	10	4	2	22
Britannia Buddies	9	6	1	19
S.O.E. Hood	8	7	1	17
C.G. Burnsides	7	7	1	15
Britannia Tigers	6	8	1	13
S.O.E. Renown	5	10	0	10
Hudson's Bay, "A"	4	10	1	9
Britannia Rivals	4	12	0	8

B Section

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Britannia Royals	11	4	1	23
Britannia Horseshoes	11	5	0	22
C.G. Owls	10	4	2	22
Britannia Rangers	8	6	2	18
C.G. Ramblers	8	8	0	16
S.O.E. Repulse	8	8	0	16
C.G. Badgers	5	10	1	11
S.O.E. Lions	3	10	2	8
Britannia Diamond "S"	3	12	0	6

The annual tournament will be held in the Britannia Branch clubrooms, starting March 18 at 8. All entries must be in the hands of the secretary by 9, March 15.

Socialists Work Secretly in Germany

LONDON (CP)—Through secret channels the Independent Labor Party has received from German Independent Socialists a message promising they will never give up their fight against the Nazi regime.

Addressed to British and French workers, the message says in part:

"In peace or war our work goes on—the fight for the human rights of the German population, the fight against the Hitler regime and the Nazi war. In the trenches and in the munitions factories, on the markets and in the farmyards, we spread our leaflets demanding more food, higher wages, peace and an end of the Hitler reign."

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